Weather
Sharp and cold weather. The maximum temperature yesterday was 41.5 and the minimum 31.5, the figures for the corresponding day last year being 60.0 and 32.7.

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PARIS TAKES UP QUESTION OF GERMANY'S RADIO LINES

Use Of Ships By Berlin For Repatriation Of Captives Discussed

DEAL WITH TURKS

Rule In Constantinople One Point That Is Being Decided

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, February 22.—The Council of Ambassadors yesterday examined the questions arising out of the application of the naval clauses of the peace treaty.

It was decided to open an inquiry in accordance with Article 197 of the peace treaty on the subject of the control of German wireless stations. The Council authorised the chartering of ships by the German Government for the repatriation of German prisoners from Siberia, with the proviso that the Czecho-Slovak, Jugo-Slav and Polish contingents shall retain priority in repatriation.

Lastly the Council decided on definite instructions to be sent to the Allied representatives in Hungary.

ALLIES DEBATE WHETHER TURKS STAY IN CAPITAL

Paris, February 22.—The London correspondent of the Petit Parisien telegraphs: "The Allied Conference has achieved appreciable results with regard to Turkish affairs. Among the points which have been settled or are on the point of being settled are the following: The maintenance of the Turks at Constantinople with a guard, furnished by the various Allies in rotation, for the Dardanelles and the Bosphorus: the maintenance of the Greeks at Smyrna but the evacuation of a large part of the hinterland, at present occupied by them: the regularisation and extension of the French mandate in Syria and also a large number of important financial questions.

"The questions of Eastern Thrace and the Dodecanese which Italy has pledged herself to evacuate in favor of Greece, still remain to be settled. In short there is every likelihood of the foundations of the Turkish Peace being firmly laid during M. Millerand's stay in London."

As regards the Adriatic question, the same correspondent states that President Wilson's reply has not yet been received as "the exchanges of views which have presumably taken place on this subject are still in the stage of preliminary conversations."

Paris, February 22.—A telegram from Constantinople states that Tewfik Pasha has been appointed President of the Turkish peace delegation.

FRANCE ONLY ASKS END OF TURKISH DEBT

Paris, Feb. 19.—Referring to the London Conference, the Petit Journal emphasises the importance, for France particularly, of a settlement of the Ottoman debt, France being Turkey's creditor to the amount of seven thousand million francs.

The Petit Journal points out that the Ottoman debt may be sub-divided into pre-war and war debt, the latter having been contracted with Germany alone in payment of war material.

The burden of the war debt, the Petit Journal presumes, will be borne by post-war Turkey alone, those parts of the former Ottoman Empire which have been detached from the Sultan's dominion as a result of the war being exempt.

The case of the pre-war debt is different and here, the Petit Journal remarks, the problem is complicated by the fact that the question of the apportionment of the debt among the portions of Turkey ceded to Greece, Servia and Bulgaria after the last Balkan war was still sub judice when war broke out in 1914.

LONDON WILL FIX FRENCH TONNAGE SUM

Paris, Feb. 20.—The London Conference held two meetings yesterday, dealing with the Turkish and Russian questions in the morning and with the Russian question only in the afternoon.

According to the London correspondent of the Petit Journal, the fate of Smyrna was again discussed yesterday morning and it is expected that a decision will be reached on Tuesday or Wednesday. The town is at present occupied by Greek troops.

Paris, Feb. 20.—M. Bignon, French Under Secretary for the Mercantile Marine, accompanies M. Millerand to London on Sunday to discuss with the Interallied Commission the freight question

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Canada Insists On Original Status In League Of Nations

(Reuter's Service)

Ottawa, February 16.—Mr. Rowell, Acting Secretary of State for External Affairs, in the course of a strong pronouncement on the League of Nations, declared: "Canada has won a place in the League and will not surrender it. Canada refuses to agree to any impairment of her status and rights under the treaty in order to meet objections by the United States with regard to the voting power of Dominions. Canada has made this clear to the Imperial authorities requesting them to inform Washington on the subject."

Mr. Rowell quoted the New York Tribune's question to the Senate, namely: "Do you put Cuba, Panama, Hayti and Santo Domingo, your dependencies in the League, but will not trust Canada?"

Mr. Rowell queried: "Why?" He said Canadians were still awaiting an answer to this question not believing that Americans would finally deny the Dominion the right cheerfully accorded to the above-mentioned states.

DERVISHES FLEE AS BRITISH ARMY DEFEATS MULLAH

Air Force Big Factor In Overcoming Revolution Arising In Egypt

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 17.—The British operations against the Mullah have been so successful that they can be regarded as practically over. The Mullah's forces have been heavily defeated and the Mullah himself has escaped in the direction of Italian territory.

In the House of Commons today Col. Amery, Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, stated that, as a result of the three weeks' operations led by the Air Force, the power of the Dervishes in British Somaliland has been completely destroyed.

The Mullah after several very narrow escapes finally fled with 70 horsemen. It was believed that the Mullah's power to endanger the peace and security of British Somaliland was ended.

London, February 15.—Reuters Nairobi correspondent telegraphs: "Combined British and Italian action against the Mad Mullah is reported to have begun in Abyssinia with the object of sweeping the country of his supporters and concentrating a large force in the vicinity of Gazab, a stronghold in the Northern Agaden country.

"The British force, composed of African and Indian troops with tanks and aviation detachments, landed at Berbera whilst the Italians are establishing a base in Italian Somaliland.

"The Somalis state that the Mad Mullah is preaching a holy war on behalf of the Sultan of Turkey."

British Debt Jumps Over One Billion Pounds Since 1918

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 17.—A White Paper shows that the gross liabilities of the State on March 31, 1919, amounted to £7,481,050,442, an increase of £1,559,954,623 as compared with March 31, 1918.

Austria As Federal State Is Suggested In Socialist Plan

(Reuter's Service)

Vienna, February 17.—A conference of Austrian provincial representatives at Salzburg including Socialists has voted for the transformation of Austria into a Federal State.

Labor Difficulties In India Are Settled

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 15.—Reuter's Bombay correspondent telegraphs that the Indian marine dockyard men have resumed work on the basis of a wage increase of four annas a day. The correspondent adds: "The labor troubles now appear to be over."

LODGE'S NEW RESERVATION DEMANDS FREE HAND IN EAST

Revised Clause Strikes Off Limitation To Shantung Trouble

TREATY HARD HIT

United States To Be Among Powers To Police Adriatic

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 14.—The New York correspondent of the Daily News states that Senator Lodge's revised reservation on Shantung demands full liberty of action for the United States whereas the previous version limited this to the case of trouble between China and Japan.

This limitation has been entirely struck out and the United States asserts its right to an entirely free hand in the Far East.

Washington, Feb. 17.—White House officials declare that President Wilson's Adriatic note is not a threat to withdraw from European affairs but that the United States could not take part in the settlement of Fiume and the policing of the Adriatic of Jugo-Slavia were forced into a settlement. It is suggested that the United States might cease European relief work if the Peace Treaty were modified contrary to the principle of self-determination.

Later.—It is announced that the United States will be one of the five nations to police the Adriatic.

ALLIES WITHHOLD NEW REPLY TO AMERICA

New York, Feb. 17.—The Washington correspondent of the Associated Press announces that it has been officially stated that President Wilson's memorandum informed the Allies that the United States might have to consider the withdrawing of the Treaty of Versailles from the Senate if the Allies proceeded in their plans without the consent of the United States.

Paris, Feb. 17.—The Matin states that the Allied reply to President Wilson's note has been delayed owing to the decision to revise the draft because the question is regarded as the most important since the conclusion of hostilities and that owing to the subsequent intervention of Viscount Grey, Mr. Chamberlain and Lord Robert Cecil the note is likely to be more conciliatory than was forecasted yesterday.

"The British and French," the Matin says, "desire the closest cooperation with the United States but they point out that they cannot abandon the decisions reached while the United States voluntarily absented itself from the Peace Conferences."

London, February 18.—Reuter's Agency understands that the Allies' note to President Wilson has been delivered to the United States Ambassador in London.

Hitherto the situation has been obscure because of the Allied negotiations were secret, had been intermittently broken by a succession of rumors and unauthorised reports and the publication in Paris of only of the original draft replies have subsequently been revised. It now appears that while the final text upholds the Franco-British proposals, sent to Jugo-Slavia on January 20, its tone is most conciliatory, studiously avoiding ground which might wound American susceptibilities.

"In this connection Mr. Lloyd George at yesterday's sitting of the Supreme Council insisted on the necessity or the utmost urbanity of form and language.

With regard to the so-called intervention of Viscount Grey, the Times points out that he had an interview with Mr. Chamberlain with regard to the untoward results of any dispute with the United States. The Times adds that unquestionably the issue is the most momentous since the cessation of hostilities as it involves the future bonds of friendship between Great Britain and America.

ITALY RATIFIES BULGARIAN TREATY

Rome, Feb. 17.—Italy has formally ratified the Bulgarian Peace Treaty.

Paris, Feb. 16.—The London correspondent of the Echo de Paris states that M. Millerand and Mr. Lloyd George in their reply to President Wilson declare that they abide by the solution of the Adriatic problem which they notified to Jugo-Slavia on January 20.

Mr. Lloyd George, acting as President of the Peace Conference, has sent a letter to Dr. Trumbitch, the Jugo-Slav Foreign Minister, emphasising that unless Jugo-Slavia accepts the compromise the

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Wilson Criticised For Dismissal Of Secretary Lansing

(Reuter's Service)

New York, February 15.—Practically every newspaper in the country appears to support Mr. Lansing against President Wilson whose action is variously described as "ungrateful," "unseemly" or "unexplainable," while the characteristics of the President's illness are stated to be "petulance," "peevishness," "asperity" or "excessive sensitiveness."

A resolution has been introduced into the House of Representatives calling upon the Foreign Affairs Committee to investigate whether Mr. Lansing violated the constitution by calling meetings without the President's consent.

In some quarters it is believed that the real trouble is due to President Wilson's idea that an attempt was being made to invoke the article of the Constitution, providing that the President's duties shall be assumed by the Vice-President in the event of the former being unable to carry them out.

Whatever may be the real reason, the American public sides warmly with Mr. Lansing and believes that his effort to carry on during the President's illness was not sufficient cause for his dismissal.

CONGRESSMAN AIMS TO STRIP WILSON OF EXECUTIVE RULE

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Feb. 21.—Mr. Simeon D. Fess has introduced a resolution in the House of Representatives in favor of a constitutional amendment empowering the Supreme Court when authorised by Congress to determine the ability of the president to discharge his duties.

Mr. John Jacob Rogers has introduced a concurrent resolution containing virtually the same provisions, with the additional provision that the Supreme Court shall be removed.

The authors of both resolutions deny that the proposals are aimed at President Wilson.

Wireless Control By American Navy To End This Month

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, February 20.—Mr. Josephus Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, announced today that the executive order providing for control by the Board of Naval Operations of all private wireless stations which was assumed as a war emergency measure, will be relinquished from midnight on February 29.

Hill Interests Will Unify Rail Systems

(Reuter's Service)

St. Paul, Minn., February 20.—It is reported that the Great Northern, Northern Pacific and Burlington railways will be merged in one great transcontinental system when the Government control of railways ends on March 1.

7,000 Armenians In Silicia Slaughtered By Turks And Kurds

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 17.—The Times learns that Turkish troops and Kurds have slaughtered 7,000 Armenians in Silicia. The struggle is continuing round Marash.

The Armenians are resisting strongly but have suffered serious losses. The Turks have advanced to Baghtche spreading terror before them.

Cape-To-Cairo Plane Lands At Mongalla

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 16.—The Air Ministry announces that the Vickers-Vimy aeroplane enroute for the Cape has been forced to land, owing to shortage of petrol, at Khor, 20 miles North of Mongalla. The machine and passengers are safe.

The Times Cairo correspondent telegraphing yesterday says that the Vickers-Vimy machine has landed at Mongalla.

Admiral Rodman Inaugurates Airplane Mail Service

A daily airplane mail service has been put into operation to carry letters from the New Mexico, Admiral Hugh Rodman's flagship, in San Pedro Harbor, to the Pacific [illegible] San Diego. Admiral Rodman, according to reports, plans to extend the air mail service to all the squadrons of the Pacific Fleet. At present two hydroplanes are in service making the trip from San Pedro to Los Angeles in about one hour and ten minutes. The photograph shows the captain's launch of the New Mexico receiving a batch of mail from one of the hydroplanes.

DESCHANEL GIVES FOREIGN POLICIES FRANCE FOLLOWS

Calls On People For Work In Order To Meet Peace Problems

(Reuter's Wireless Service)

Paris, Feb. 19.—A message from M. Deschanel was read in the Senate and Chamber today. The new President of the Republic appeals to all Frenchmen to unite, expresses his desire for the strengthening of foreign alliances, and calls for unremitting work in order to meet the problems of peace.

M. Deschanel this morning presided over the Cabinet for the first time. This afternoon he placed a wreath on the monument to "Those who died for their country" and visited hospitals for the wounded.

Tomorrow the President of the Republic will receive at the Elysee the members of the diplomatic corps who will be presented by the Japanese Ambassador, the doyen of the corps.

MESSAGE TO JAPAN

M. Poincare has sent the following reply to the farewell telegram sent him by the Emperor of Japan:

"I thank Your Majesty warmly for your kind telegram and am happy to have been able during the course of my magistracy to work, like you and with you, for the intimate rapprochement of our two countries, and I do not doubt that, after having had the opportunity to appreciate one another during the tragic years of the war, our two countries will remain closely united in peace. I beg Your Majesty to accept all my good wishes for yourself and for Japan."

M. Francis Marsal, Minister of Finance, visited the Bourse this afternoon and addressed the members on the subject of the French Loan which opens today.

Paris, Feb. 20.—The Pope has telegraphed to M. Deschanel congratulating him on his assumption of the presidency.

Paris, Feb. 20.—M. Deschanel received the members of the Diplomatic Corps at the Elysee this afternoon. The President delivered a speech of welcome to the German Charge d'Affaires, on the occasion of his first visit to the Elysee since the resumption of diplomatic relations.

M. Raymond Poincare has been chosen to represent France on the Reparations Commission, in succession to M. Jonnart, resigned.

The newspapers congratulate the Government on their choice while paying a warm tribute to the late President's patriotism for undertaking this onerous task.

(French Wireless)

Paris, Feb. 19.—M. Poincare yesterday afternoon formally handed over the Presidency to M. Deschanel.

The ceremony is traditional. First the retiring President transfers the powers of office to his successor at the Elysee in the presence of ministers, the Presidents of the Senate and Chamber of Deputies, and other officials. Next both Presidents proceed to the Hotel de Vilee where they are received by the Municipality. Lastly the new President drives with his predecessor to the latter's private residence.

M. Poincare had been President since January 18, 1913.

AMERICA HUNTING FOR WAR SLACKERS

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, Feb. 21.—The Government has taken a step towards the prosecution of "slackers." The Adjutant General has been instructed to investigate and dispose of as many cases as possible without formal proceedings. 151,000 men are charged with "wilful desertion" and 174,000 with "unwilful desertions."

Allies Propose To Banish Kaiser Only In Order To Safeguard Europe's Peace

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, February 22.—Touching the question of the extradition of the ex-Kaiser by Holland, the correspondent of the Petit Parisien states that the Allies' latest note on the subject has been well received in Holland.

"For the moment," he adds, "there is no question of the choice of a residence for the ex-Kaiser and the mention of Curacoa is therefore premature, but in principle the Hague Government is understood to be approximately in agreement with the Allies."

Paris, February 21.—The Petit Parisien learns that the Allies have decided not to reply to the telegram from the German ex-Crown Prince, offering to surrender himself in place of the war criminals whose extradition is demanded by the Allies.

Paris, February 20.—The French press thinks that Holland will accede to the Allies request to banish the ex-Kaiser to some distant spot where he cannot endanger the peace of Europe.

It is understood that Holland is inclined to favor one of the West Indian islands as his place of exile, such as Curacoa.

Paris, February 20.—The Interallied Commission to superintend all questions relating to the trial of war criminals met at the Quai d'Orsay for the first time yesterday, M. Jules Carbon presiding. The Commission includes three jurists, M. Ignace (France); Lord Birkenhead (Great Britain); and M. Rulin Jacquemyns (Belgium).

Railway Men Are Warned By Wilson

President Points To Need Of Deliberation To Prevent Injury To Public

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, February 15.—The railway union leaders agreed to delay their further demands after President Wilson had announced that he intended to appoint a commission of wage experts to investigate thoroughly the railwaymen's claims. President Wilson's letter stated that if, when the railroads were returned to private ownership, laws were enacted providing machinery for dealing with the wages of railwaymen, he would use his influence to bring about the earliest possible practicable organisation of the machinery thus provided, but if provision were not made legislatively, he pledged himself to employ his influence to get the railroad companies and their employes to join promptly in the creation of a tribunal to take up the problems.

The letter concluded with a warning to the railroad brotherhoods that any other course than co-operation with the Government would not only gravely injure the public but be a serious blow to the principle of collective bargaining.

Washington, Feb. 21.—The Conference report on the Railroad Reorganisation Bill has been presented to Congress. The bill provides (1) that the wages of railwaymen as established shall continue until September 1; (2) railway rates shall be stabilised for seven months and no rates shall be cut unless the Interstate Commerce Commission has approved; (3) labor disputes shall be compulsorily submitted to a permanent Federal Board approved by the President and the Public; (4) rates shall be adjusted by the Interstate Commerce Commission so as to yield carriers a 5½ percent return plus another ½ percent for improvements; (5) there shall be a Government guarantee against a deficit for a period of six months; (6) permission shall be granted to consolidate the railways, if the Interstate Commerce Commission approves; (7) the sum of $500,000,000 shall be appropriated for the purpose of making loans to carriers and paying claims; (8) the Interstate Commerce Commission shall be increased from nine to eleven members with a salary of $12,000.

British Admiralty Sells Dreadnoughts

Will Clear Navy Of Warships Carrying Small Guns To Increase Its Strength

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 17.—The Daily Chronicle learns that in view of the developments of naval gunnery the Admiralty are selling nine Dreadnoughts, the Bellerophon, the St. Vincent, the Hercules, The Collingwood, the Indomitable, the Superb, the Neptune, the Colossus and the Inflexible, valued at £10,000,000.

The sales will mostly clear out the vessels carrying 12-inch guns. Some may be sold to the Dominions. In future ships will be armed with 13.5 and 15-inch guns and owing to the development of naval gunnery guns may get even bigger.

Italian Aeroplanes Flying To Tokio Make More Progress

(Reuter's Service)

Paris, Feb. 21.—The aeroplane, piloted by Lieutenants Negrini and Origi, which is taking part in the Rome-Tokio flight, arrived at Adalia on February 18 and left on the following day for Aleppo.

Paris, Feb. 20.—The aeroplanes piloted by Lieutenants Ferrari and Maffiero which left Rome on Feb. 14 on the Rome-Tokio flight have reached Smyrna, coming from Salonika.

London, Feb. 13.—A telegram from Smyrna states that the 450 horsepower Caproni piloted by Lieutenants Negrini and Origi has arrived there from Salonika and is resuming its flight to Adalia on its way to Tokio from Rome.

Strike Threat Made By British Seamen; Chinese Crew Cause

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 14.—Seamen at Newport, Monmouthshire, have decided to hold up the Blue Anchor liner Albion Star until the Chinese crew have been removed and replaced by British. A strike committee has been formed and no seamen are signing on any ships until their demands have been granted.

BOLSHEVIKI SACK ODESSA: LOOTING GOES ON 24 HOURS

Claim Capture Of 200 Officers, 30,000 Men And Guns

LABOR DRAFTED

General Denikin Quits Title As Dictator In Cossack Area

REFUGEES FLEE

Thousands In Flight From Occupied Area In Russia

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 16.—The Constantinople correspondent of the Daily Telegraph reports that Odessa has been sacked by the Bolsheviki and thousands murdered.

The correspondent says: "The story of the re-capture and sack of Odessa is one of the most terrible chapters in the history of Bolshevism. The city was not taken by the advancing Red army but by the dregs of the population who knew that the spirit of the Volunteer army in the city was utterly broken.

"The looting of the defenseless city went on all day and all night and thousands were massacred under the eyes of General Denikin's officers who made no effort to crush the insurrection.

"The only resistance offered was by a band of boy cadets, aged ten and upwards, who defended the quays in spite of heavy casualties and were finally rescued by British sailors. About 12,000 refugees were taken from Odessa on board British ships."

London, February 19.—The weekly authoritative summary of the military situation in Russia states: "The Bolshevik offensive is proceeding in North Russia where the situation is serious. The Reds have carried the Russian forward lines in the Onega valley and the Vologda railway, largely owing to the mutiny of a Russian regiment, whose commander and most of his officers were killed by their own men, five hundred of whom deserted to the Reds.

The North Russian Government have resigned and handed over the power to General Miller.

The Bolsheviki claim that their captures at Odessa included 200 officers, 30,000 men and 100 guns.

The Bolsheviki have introduced industrial conscription by transforming former military armies into Labor armies at Kazan, Perm, Moscow, Chernigov, etc, chiefly on account of mutinies.

TYPHUS EPIDEMIC HITS SEBASTOPOL

London, February 18.—The Associated Press Constantinople correspondent depicts the situation in the Crimea as most serious. He declares "Allied officials apprehend a general Bolshevik triumph, through internal dissension and also that the Reds may reach the Isthmus across the ice. There are ten thousand persons at Sebastopol most anxious to leave the city, while 11,000 refugees have arrived from Odessa. Typhus is raging. The Allied warships at Sebastopol are unable to evacuate the population owing to the absence of authority from their respective governments, and because no ports are available to accommodate the refugees."

DENIKIN QUITS AS RUSSIAN DICTATOR

London, Feb. 17.—A telegram from Novorossisk to the Times states that General Denikin has reached an agreement with the Cossacks whereby he remains Generalissimo but ceases to be Dictator. A parliamentary regime has been formed with an elective Legislative Assembly and a Cabinet of eight ministers.

General Denikin declared that the military situation was improving and that the front could be held if the Kuban forces went to the front immediately. Meanwhile the Bolshevik advance in the Caucasus had been held up.

INVASION OF INDIA PLANNED BY BOLSHEVIKI

London, Feb. 16.—The Delhi correspondent of the Times states:

"It is reliably declared that the Bolsheviki plans for intense external propaganda include Persia, Afghanistan, India and China. The Bolsheviki hope to produce a state of chaos within two years when the internal reconstruction of Russia will have been completed.

"By gifts of arms and ammunition and the loan of military instructors, trained gunners and aeroplanes it is hoped to induce Afghanistan to attack India with

the consequent defeat and deposition of the Ameer, thereby provoking anarchy and producing conditions for establishing an Afghan Soviet Republic, and, when North India is saturated with Soviet doctrines and lured into rebellion, there will be an opportunity for a great Bolshevik attack on India."

Stockholm, Feb. 15.—According to advices from Helsingfors, the Russian newspapers state that five thousand Chinese have joined the Bolshevik army for the purpose of receiving special training in Russian military schools. It is added that the Bolsheviki are carrying on an intense propaganda in China "where they hope the Soviet will soon be introduced."

RUMANIA MENACED BY BOLSHEVIK PERIL

London, Feb. 18.—The Daily Express Vienna correspondent telegraphs:

Ten Bolshevik divisions are reported to have crossed the Dniester which the Rumanians had strongly fortified and a movement has been started to place the Rumanian army on a war footing. It is believed that the Allies will be asked for a large amount of war material and financial supporting to fight the Bolsheviki.

Vladivostok, Feb. 19.—A wireless message from Okhotsk states that the Japanese are making a descent upon the Russian portion of Sakhalin.

The Zemstvo Government have asked Mr. Matsudaria, the Japanese Representative for an explanation of the alleged Japanese action in Sakhalin.

Bolshevik Soviets have been formed along the main extent of the Amur railway.

JAPANESE JOIN TO HELP RUSS COSSACK'S ESCAPE

It is understood that Ataman Kalmikoff on fleeing from Habarovsk took with him thirty-two poods of gold from the State Bank. It is reported from Habarovsk that the Japanese assisted Ataman Kalmikoff in his escape.

Tokio, Feb. 21.—The Naval Office announces that the warships Mikasa and Mishima have been despatched to the Russian port of Sakhalin to protect the Japanese who arrived at Alexandrovsk on the 16th inst.

Copenhagen, Feb. 14.—Trotsky has informed Litvinoff that the members of the British, French and Italian missions captured in Siberia are being well treated.

BAND CONCERT TONIGHT

The Municipal Band will play a program of operatic numbers at the Town Hall tonight. It will be the 14th concert of the season and was postponed from Sunday. The program follows;

1.—Overture "William Tell" Rossini
2.—Fragments 1st Act of the opera "La Boheme"
(a) Rudolph's Air
(b) Mimi's Air
(c) Final Duet .....Puccini
Soloists: Mrs. L. Isenman (soprano) Mr. P. Brunelli (tenor)
3.—(a) Intermezzo of "I Pagliacci" .....Leoncavallo
(b) Fourth act Prelude of "La Traviata" Verdi
4.—Finale 3rd Act "La Boheme" Duet: "Mumi and Rudolph" Puccini
Soloists: Mrs. L. Isenman and Mr. P. Brunelli
5.—Wotan's Farewell and Magic Fire from the Opera "The Valkyries" .....Wagner
Soloist: Mr. P. Selivanoff (brass)
6.—Introduction 3rd Act "Tannhauser" and Elizabeth's Air: "Dear Hall of Song" .....Wagner
Soloist: Mrs. L. Isenman
Maestro M. Paci, Conductor.

Mrs. Vida Not Hurt When Car Overturns

Wife Of Prominent Rider Is Victim In Auto Accident On Way To Kiangwan

Mrs. Frank R. Vida, wife of the well known rider, had a remarkable escape from serious injury or worse Saturday when she was hurled over a low embankment from an overturning automobile while on the way to the races at the Kiangwan track. She suffered slightly from shock and from a number of bruises, but had recovered sufficiently yesterday to be able to attend the second day's racing at Kiangwan.

Mrs. Vida was in her own car, a Studebaker, which was open at the time and was being driven by a Chinese chauffeur when the accident occurred. The car in making a turn skidded from the wet glazed center of the roadway to the dirt by-path at the side which had been reduced to mud by the rain. As the car swerved and spun to a stop its momentum carried it over on to its side and Mrs. Vida was thrown out. Assistance was given at once by passengers from other motor cars bound for the races and it was found quickly that Mrs. Vida had not suffered serious injury.

Americans Hosts To Crowd Of 1,400 Washington Ball

When the general committee in charge of the annual American celebration of Washington's anniversary—which happens to include the Washington Ball—sat in their wisdom and decreed that only 1,000 persons were to be among the elect, they reckoned without their host of fellow countrymen and countrywomen and citymen and citywomen who like to shake a festive foot n'everything.

And so it transpired that instead of the stipulated round number there were many more, a few hundreds of them, who enjoyed themselves to the utmost at the big dancing party given at the Town Hall last Saturday evening and part of Sunday morning. An unofficial estimate placed the total at 1,406, plus.

A success? Well, rather. Everyone had a good time and was natural and happy and had a heap of good things to eat and drink and felt right at home.

There were Americans there and Britons and French and—but what's the use trying to list them all; it was a cosmopolitan crowd in perfect accord and enjoying itself to the utmost while paying a splendid tribute to the memory of the man whom the world has recognised as having made the United States of America possible.

The decorations have been described in print and verbally so many times that everyone ought to know by now that they were impressively beautiful.

It was a regular, old-time, American party with sunrise the limit, that is, if the sun can rise through the murk of early morning in Shanghai and nothing was lacking but a couple of square dances, the lancers and such, with some cowpunchers in swaller-tails and pink silk shirts with soft collars, making dents in the hardwood with their high-heeled boots. But in spite of this lack the guests of the American Company, S.V.C., who were the hosts, seemed thoroughly happy—and kept that way until the pain of parting overcame them at 4:46 a.m.

The buffet luncheon was good, the music of the Town Band was appreciated up to 1:30 o'clock when the organisation led By Jack Raynes was spelled by the Eltinge Jazz Band which put a lot of new pep into the party, and the lighting effects were all that could be desired, particularly as there were many "moonlight" events, with searchlights playing and disconcerting only the very young among the moon-struck.

That the gowns were elaborate, dazzling and the latest word in fashion is a foregone conclusion. An attempt to describe any of them would be futile for a male member of the contingent from the western or even the Eastern side of the Pacific.

Until 10 o'clock in the evening the Hall was devoted to a reception. Then it was "on with the dance." And it was some dance. As the Kankakee Gazette ever avers, "a pleasant time was had by all."

Ship Afire Is Lost Off Reunion Island

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, February 17.—All efforts have been unsuccessful to find the steamship Ville d'Alger from which a wireless message was received on the evening of February 1, that she was on fire, 130 miles from Reunion Island, carrying 91 passengers and a crew of 50 in addition to a cargo of rum and sugar.

A boatload of survivors have arrived in Madagascar. It is feared that the remainder have perished.

Families Of German War Prisoners Are Sent To Rotterdam

Wives And Children Of Men On Hudson Maru Go Back On Ume Maru

Wives and children of the German officers and men who were sent home from prison camps in the Orient on the Hudson Maru two weeks ago and some men, civilians, were embarked on the Ume Maru yesterday and started for Rotterdam. There were 451 persons in the party.

The Ume Maru, a Japanese government boat was chartered by the German Government for the voyage and flew the German flag as she left the Shanghai harbor.

In the party were 158 persons who had been brought here from the prison camps in Japan and Tsingtao and 293 who had been assembled from various points in China.

Miners Of France Call Off Strike; Pensions Provided

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, February 15.—The French miners who have been threatening to cease work, have decided to postpone a strike as a result of a conference between miners' delegates and the Minister of Labor.

The Minister stated that a bill would be introduced providing for annual pensions of 1,500 francs for miners on reaching the age of 55 and 750 francs for miners' widows. The delegates, however, are demanding further concessions.

Britain Exposes Debts Of Allies

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, Feb. 18.—In the House of Commons today replying to Mr. N. Grattan Doyle (Coalition Unionist) Mr. Austen Chamberlain, Chancellor of the Exchequer said that Great Britain had loaned to Russia for war purposes £568,000,000, to France £470,500,000, to Belgium £86,500,000 and to other Allies £71,600,000, exclusive of advances for reconstruction.

Steadiness Shown In Silver Market

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 14.—Messrs. Montagu's silver report yesterday said:

"The market has shown considerable steadiness during the week with an inclination upward. The fall in price today was due to the strong recovery of American exchange and the fall in the China exchange."

Cabinet Of Spain Quits; King Won't Accept Resignation

(*French Wireless Service*)

Paris, February 22.—Senor Allendes Salazar, the Spanish Premier, has tendered the resignation of the entire Cabinet which, however, the King has declined to accept. The Government will ask for a vote of confidence from Parliament tomorrow.

Wedding

GENSBURGER-SAPHIERE

Miss Lily Saphiere, second daughter of Mr. and Mrs. A. Saphiere, and Mr. Victor Gensburger, second son of Mr. and Mrs. H. Gensburger, who were married Sunday, will leave on an extended honeymoon trip for New York next Sunday and will be away from Shanghai for several months.

The civil marriage took place Thursday at the French Consulate. A well-attended reception was held following the religious ceremony Sunday at Saarville, home of the bridegroom's parents, 94 Jessfield Road. The bride was attired in a creation of silver cloth draped with white tulle and of crystal beads caught up with orange blossoms. The train of the bridal gown was embroidered in silver thread and a lovers knot of silver lined with frills of pleated tulle, also caught up with orange blossoms. The bridal veil was of white embroidered tulle and embroidered with silver and panels. The bride wore a wreath of orange blossoms. She carried a shower bouquet of white roses and wore a pendant of diamond drops, the gift of the bridegroom.

The bride's elder sister, who was matron of honor, wore a gown of salmon pink taffeta trimmed with tulle and ermine and carried a bouquet of pink roses. The two sisters of the bridegroom acted as bridesmaids. They were in pale pink charmeuse with silk net and wore little dutch caps carrying bouquets of pale pink carnations. The bride's mother wore a mole-color charmeuse gown with picture hat to match while the bridegroom's mother was attired in a mauve charmeuse gown and wore a black picture hat. The bridegroom's elder brother acted as best man. The ceremony was performed by the Reverend Franckel.

More 'Reds' Taken By U.S. Authorities

(*Reuter's Service*)

New York, Feb. 17.—Federal Agents have arrested 29 Radicals at Paterson, New Jersey. It is stated that they include some of the most dangerous persons at present terrorising the country and whose creed is assassination.

The official records of the Industrial Workers of the World for the entire district of East Chicago have also been seized.

Erzberger Reveals Debts Of Germany

(*Reuter's Service*)

Berlin, Feb. 18.—Herr Erzberger presiding at a conference on the question of Germany's debt said that he estimated that the German Republic would owe 204,000,000,000 marks on March 20 next, of which 100,000,000 was represented by Treasury Bills not bearing interest.

Former Enemies Are Made Eligible For Officers Of Ships

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, Feb. 18.—The President has revoked the war emergency regulation, permitting foreign ship officers to hold licences in American vessels except in the case of such as are willing to sign a declaration of their intention to take out naturalisation papers.

250 ARE DEAD IN FIRE AT WUCHOW

Hundreds Of Boats In Flames Drift Down River And Threaten City

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Wuchow, Kwongsai, Feb. 8.—Early this morning fire started on the east bank of the Fu river, opposite the British consulate. The flames soon leaped to some of the pontoon resturants nearby and rapidly spread to surrounding junks and small boats. As this part of the river is occupied by numerous sampans and is a favorite anchorage of up-river craft, the mouth of the river was soon jammed by those trying to escape the flames.

Hundreds of persons jumped into the water to drown rather than be burned and it is impossible to learn just how many lives were lost. Already, 60 bodies have been recovered and the most conservative estimate is that 250 lives were lost. Six of the large pontoon buildings, 50 cargo junks, two motor boats and about 500 small boats were destroyed as well as several lumber rafts.

The burning boats floated down into the West river and endangered the storage tanks of the Standard Oil Co. and Asiatic Petroleum Co. on the south bank of the West river. Only the fact that the north wind blew the burning boats to the opposite side of the river saved the city from fire.

Fourteen Million Offered America For Ex-German Ships

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, February 18.—At today's auction of former German ships, Mr. Franklin, President of the International Merchantile Marine, bid $14,000,000 for nine vessels for service between the United States, the United Kingdom and North European ports, provided that the Shipping Board agreed not to compete in this service. Commissioner Scott, who is conducting the auction, explained that the sale was conditional on the approval of certain committees of the Senate and the House of Representatives and the result of the suit of the Shipping Board requesting the sale of the ships for which bids have been submitted be deferred until the Senate had taken definite action.

Egyptians Ready To Accept Nile Irrigation Plans

(*Reuter's Service*)

Cairo, February 17.—Sirry Pasha, the Minister of Public Works, who recently resigned owing to the non-inclusion of an Egyptian members on the Nile Irrigation Projects Commission, has informed Reuter's representative that the Government has accepted his conditions and that therefore he has withdrawn his resignation.

SUFFRAGE FOR INDIANS

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 17.—Replying to a question by Mr. Campion, Col. Amery, Under-Secretary of State for the Colonies, stated that it was at present arranged that Indians in East Africa should be represented on the Legislative Council by two members, nominated by the Governor. The question of elective representation of Indians was being considered.

Clean Slate Given Tobacco Monopoly

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 19.—The report of the committee appointed under the Profiteering Act to inquire into tobacco prices deals mainly with the operations of the Imperial Tobacco Company which is believed to control 60 percent of Great Britain's tobacco.

The committee points out that prices have risen 110 percent since 1914, but that the tobacco duty has risen about 122 percent. It finds no evidence that the Company's operations have in any way contributed to the rise in price.

The Committee refrains from suggesting a safeguard against a monopoly, but urges the regular publication of profits of all combinations, and also that the Government should take powers to protect the public against a detrimental monopoly. The report does not deal with the collateral companies in the Dominions.

Foch Limousine Of War Fame Is Sol

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, February 15.—The fa
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inspection of the French a
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MAILS FROM U.S. ON NILE DELAYED

Vessel Due Yesterday Coming In Thursday—Mail To U. S. On Korea Maru.

The steamer Nile of the China Mail, which was due here yesterday with 1,200 bag of European and American mails from San Francisco via Honolulu, is behind schedule and will not arrive until Thursday. The Nile also carried a big bullion shipment for Shanghai. It is probable that the steamer Sushimi Maru of the N.Y.K. due in today will bring European and American mail, but no definite word to this effect had been received at the American Post Office yesterday. Mail to go to Manila on the Fushima Maru will be received at the American Post Office until 5 o'clock this afternoon.

The next outbound mail from Shanghai for the United States, Canada and Europe will be despatched on the steamer Korea Maru which sails at 2 o'clock Thursday afternoon for San Francisco by way of Japan ports and Honolulu. Mails to go on this boat will close at the American Post Office as follows:

Registered Mail.....11 o'clock Thursday morning.

Ordinary Mail.....12 o'clock noon Thursday.

As the Chinese staff at the American Post Office was obliged to remain on duty to handle mails Saturday and Sunday while New Year festivities were in progress, a half-holiday is to be given to them today and the office will close at 1 o'clock this afternoon.

LODGE'S NEW RESERVATION DEMANDS FREE HAND IN EAST

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treaty of London will be carried out.

London, February 18.—It is officially declared that the Supreme Council has received no communication from Viscount Grey, Mr. Austen Chamberlain or Lord Robert Cecil on the subject of the reply to President Wilson's note as reported in the Matin which states that the Allied reply would probably be more conciliatory in tone owing to the intervention of these statesmen.

London, Feb. 17.—The British High Commissioner in Constantinople has been instructed to publish the fact that the Allies have decided not to deprive Turkey of Constantinople but the Porte is warned that, if the persecutions of the Armenians continue, the Turkish Peace Treaty will be considerably modified.

Marseilles, Feb. 20.—Mgr. Zaven, the Armenian Patriarch, has arrived here en route for Paris to join the Armenian Peace Delegation, in connection with the Turkish treaty. In the course of an interview he said, "We look on France as our foster-mother. Armenians are confident that they will receive the full support which the traditional friendship of France leads them to anticipate." Mgr. Zaven left last night for Paris.

Paris, Feb. 19.—Herr Otto Goepert will replace Baron von Lersner in Paris as President of the German delegation to the Peace Conference.

Paris, Feb. 19.—M. Vesnitch has failed in his attempt to form a Cabinet at Belgrade. He refused to collaborate with the Socialists and Democrats and demanded the dissolution of the Skupshtina.

Belgrade, Feb. 15.—The Davidovitch Cabinet has resigned, the Prince Regent having refused the Government's advice that he should dissolve Parliament and order elections for the National Constituent Assembly.

Paris, Feb. 21.—The further period granted to the Hungarian delegation within which to translate and print their complete observations on the Peace Treaty, expired yesterday at 3 p.m.

Voluminous supplementary notes have been added during the last week and no day has passed without several fresh documents being handed to the Secretariat of the Conference.

The London Conference met yesterday afternoon at Downing Street. Although no communication was made to the press, the London correspondent of the Petit Parisien learns that President Wilson's note formed the subject of discussion at the sitting.

According to a Budapest telegram, received via Vienna, the Constituent Assembly has nominated Admiral Horthy, commanding the Hungarian National Army, Protector of Hungary.

America To Exploit Petrol In Rumania

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 18.—The Daily Mail Geneva correspondent reports: "The United States has offered Rumania a loan of £800,000 in return for the exploitation of the Rumanian petrol resources for 60 years."

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Coolie May Escape Trial For Murder Of Frederick Weiss

Counsel For Accused Is To Apply For Dismissal, Current Report

Motion for dismissal of the murder charge made against the ricsha coolie accused of killing Mr. F. E. Weiss, late Canadian Pacific Ocean Services general passenger agent, will probably be made tomorrow in the Mixed Court by Attorney Schuhl, counsel for the defense.

Reports current that another ricsha coolie who supplied the police with evidence to hold the defendant had retracted his story, are responsible for the move by Attorney Schuhl. Police officials admitted last night that the informer had wavered in his story which implicated the man now in custody.

He had insistently told detectives that he and the coolie who is charged pulled Mr. Weiss in a ricsha to Yangtszepoo on the evening of August 20, the night that the C.P.O.S. man disappeared. He had said that he heard the shot that killed Mr. Weiss and that the coolie now charged ran from the spot where Mr. Weiss' body was found to Pingliang Road and told the story of the shooting.

The man who is accused has been as persistent in his denials. He claims that he knows nothing of the affair.

Before the Chinese New Year the informer wavered in his story and the police expressed the belief that he desired freedom for the holidays; he is being held as a material witness. Yesterday reports were current that he had gone back on his story entirely and the motion for dismissal is anticipated today because an American assessor is sitting at the Mixed Court.

The only alternative is for the police to withdraw the charge of murder against the coolie and it was stated on good authority that no such action would be taken until the attorney for the defense was officially notified by police headquarters. This would not follow until detectives were satisfied that there was no hope of the informer holding to his accusation.

Three Women Taken In Raid By Police On Den Of Robbers

Rendezvous Is Invaded And Chinese Implicated In Ten Cases Arrested

Making the second cleanup of armed robbers in a week, Yangtszepoo police arrested three women and a man in a house on Yangtszepoo Road, not far from the police station, Sunday morning. It was established that the residence was a rendezvous for Chinese implicated in ten robberies committed in the Yangtszepoo district between February 2 and 18. North Szechuen Road detectives made a similar cleanup early last week.

Although but four were arrested in the Yangtszepoo house, information was obtained so that warrants were issued for others concerned in the many robberies committed in the district.

Two holdups took place Sunday night while another occurred early last evening, a number of men taking a watch and money from a Chinese on Taiwan Road, in the Louza District. Some of the men were armed.

Shortly after 9 o'clock Sunday night a Chinese was held up near the Hanbury Road Bridge and robbed of an overcoat and silk gown.

Two hours and a half later a Chinese on Kweichow Road was robbed of a purse.

PARIS TAKES UP QUESTION OF GERMANY'S RADIO LINES

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and that of the partition of the German merchant fleet. The published forecasts of the partition are at least premature. France's share of tonnage will only be fixed at the conclusion of the London Conference.

GERMANY GIVEN TIME TO MAINTAIN ARMY

London, Feb. 19.—Mr. Lloyd George as President of the Supreme Council yesterday addressed a note to Herr Sthaemer, the German Charge d'Affaires in London, informing him that the Council had decided to extend the period during which Germany might maintain an army of 200,000 men.

The note points out that when article 160 of the Treaty of Versailles was drafted, it was thought that the treaty would be completed much earlier than was actually the case.

The Supreme Council accordingly had decided that the German army need only be reduced to 200,000 men by April 10 (three months after the enforcement of the treaty) and to 100,000 men by July 10 next.

Paris, February 18.—The War Minister, M. Lefevre, giving evidence before the Foreign Affairs Committee of the Chamber, declared that Germany was trying to avoid carrying out the disarmament terms of the Peace Treaty, hiding an army under a civil cloak and also concealing war material, small arms and even guns. M. Lefevre urged the Allies to insist the strict carrying out of the disarmament terms.

Townshend Offered Retirement Pay By British War Office

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 17.—In the House of Commons today Sir Archibald Williamson, for the War Office, in reply to a question, stated that General Townshend had withdrawn his resignation from the Army which was based on a misapprehension of the regulations.

General Townshend was informed that he was free to retire on retired pay but he had not yet re-

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Sammons Is Notified Flagpole Is In Use

Staff Former Consul-General Acquired Pui Into Service With Simple Ceremony

Word is being forwarded to American Consul-General Thomas Sammons at Melbourne, Australia, that the Stars and Stripes now fly in front of the American Consulate here from the tall flagpole which was acquired through his efforts while he was Consul-General in Shanghai.

The giant staff of Oregon fir, which is 138 feet in length and which rises to a height of 127 feet, was brought into service with a simple ceremony of dedication Sunday when the American flag was raised on the pole by Mrs. Edwin Cunningham, wife of Consul-General Cunningham, assisted by Mrs. Seitz, wife of Mr. Carl Seitz of the China Import and Export Lumber Company. It was Mr. Seitz who provided transportation for the pole after it had been donated by Mr. G. E. Dant of the firm of Messrs. Dant and Russell of Portland, Oregon. The flag raising was conducted by the American Company of the Shanghai Volunteer Corps and was attended by a representative gathering of Americans of the Settlement.

Sergeants Britton and Kay were color sergeants at the flag raising and Privates Meraden and Wilkins were the color guard.

GREY REPORT DENIED

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 16.—The Earl of Reading's secretary says that there is no justification for the report that the Earl will succeed Viscount Grey as Ambassador in Washington.

Obituary

MISS K. L. WADE

Miss Katherine Lancie Wade, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. T. Wade, died on Saturday at the General Hospital.

The funeral took place Sunday at the Bubbling Well Cemetery, the Rev. Dean Walker officiating.

The chief mourners were, Mr. and Mrs. T. L. Wade and Mr. T. S. Wade. The pall bearers were Messrs. B. Dawson, R. S. K. Irvin, W. H. Leslie, S. B. Stevenson, E. Strassman, and J. Velling.

Wreaths were sent by Mr. and Mrs. W. Owen, Jim and Tom Main, Mr. and Mrs. Oscar Moller, Annie, Mr. and Mrs. W. H. Leslie, Minnie and Willie, Mr. and Mrs. F. J. Brand, Mr. and Mrs. A. Evolegh, Mr. and Mrs. H. O. White, Mr. and Mrs. J. S. Watson and Isaac, Mary and Rose, Mr. and Mrs. J. G. Bell, Mrs. K. Wood, Mr. G. Stewart Jones, Mr. and Mrs. J. Oswald Forsyth, Mrs. C. W. Dierckx and family, Mr. E. Petersen, Major and Mrs. C. M. Manners, Mrs. and Miss Lee, Mrs. J. W. Harding, Mr. and Mrs. C. J. White, Mr. and Mrs. P. Fowler, Mr. and Mrs. Edward Strassman, Mrs. S. Spooner, Mr. and Mrs. Moysey.

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MRS. JOHN WOODBERRY

The many friends of Mrs. John Woodberry, 106 North Szechuen Road, will learn with deep regret the news of her death yesterday afternoon at her home. The funeral services will be conducted in the Ella M. Stewart Memorial Church, 106 North Szechuen Road, this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock. The Rev. A. P. Parker will officiate. Interment will take place at the Bubbling Well Cemetery at 4 o'clock.

Mrs. Woodberry was educated at the Michigan State Normal School at Ypsilanti. She was principal of Beulah Academy, of which her husband is superintendent. The deceased has been in China for about 20 years.

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British Government Takes Quick Measures To Halt Repetition Of Assault

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 16.—About 50 men, masked and armed, at 2 o'clock on Sunday morning attacked the Ballytrain police station near Dundalk which was occupied by six policemen.

Brisk firing and bombing continued on both sides for three hours when a terrific explosion blew up the building, burying four policemen in the debris. The raiders carried away all arms and ammunition. No arrests have been made. The wounded policemen were removed to hospital.

Another raid took place on a private house in Cork. Four armed men held up the occupant and demanded arms. The occupant replied by shooting one of his assailants in the breast. He himself was shot in both arms. The raiders got away carrying their wounded comrade.

Milligan Victor At Missouri Polls

(Reuter's Service)

Excelsior Springs (Missouri), February 18.—Mr. Milligan (Democrat) defeated by a majority of nearly 2,000 the Republican candidate, Mr. Frost, at the Congressional election here. The main issue of the campaign was the League of Nations.

Maltese Are Barred From Canada Homes Is Latest Ruling

(Reuter's Service)

New York, Feb. 18.—Thirty immigrants who have arrived here from Malta and are bound for destinations in Canada have been ordered to be repatriated in compliance with a request from the Canadian Immigration officials who state that they have recently received instructions from Ottawa that no more Maltese are to be received.

Spotted Typhus In Wake Of Bolsheviki

(Reuter's Service)

Stockholm, Feb. 18.—A Helsingfors message reports that there are twelve thousand cases of spotted typhus at Narva and in the surrounding district.

Philippines Send Ten Engineers To Batavian Congr es

(Reuter's Service)

Batavia, February 19.—The Government of the Philippine Islands has voted $10,000 for delegating ten representatives to the Engineering Congress opening in Batavia in May next.

American Warehouse Is Raided By Bandits

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, February 18.—Mexican bandits have looted the warehouse of an American-owned mine at Avalos and kidnapped the American superintendent, Mr. Adams, whom they are holding to ransom for $50,000. The Government has demanded his release.

English Editors To Visit Canada

(Reuter's Service)

London, February 17.—Elaborate arrangements are being made in Canada in connnection with the tour of the Empire Press Union delegates and the forthcoming conference at Ottawa. The delegates will leave Liverpool on July 17, returning in the middle of September.

They will consist of a hundred proprietors and editors of leading journals from all parts of the Empire. Their tour will comprise the principal centers which will enable them to make a first-hand study of Canadian conditions.

Lord Burnham will be the Chairman of the United Kingdom Press delegation and the Dominions will be well represented.

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Clash In Kaifeng Feared; Anfu Man Is Named Tuchun

Protection Of Foreigners Questionable As Army Is Rushed To City

(China Press Correspondence)

Kaifeng, Honan, February 18.—A battle in Kaifeng within a few days is not improbable. Civil war is threatened regarding the change of Tuchuns. The present incumbent, Gen. Chao Ti is to be replaced by the Anfuite, Wu Kwang-hsin, who is known to be the choice of former Premier Tuan Chi-jui. This is looked upon as a successful effort to strengthen the militarists and inferentially the Japanese in the control they have over the government. It is understood that Wu Kwang-hsin has just been appointed in Peking but has not yet been gazetted.

Chao Ti says he will commit suicide if his henchmen undertake to oppose by force the entry into Kaifeng of Wu Kwang-hsin. His soldiers are up in arms over the matter and stand ready to back him in any orders he gives. This applies to the several thousands of well trained soldiers in and near Kaifeng, but a large majority of the provincial army is in Cheng-Chow and in other cities along the Peking-Hankow line and these are in favor of the new appointee. They will rally to Wu as he passes through en route to the provincial capital and make the besieging army much larger than the local army. There is much fear—almost a panic—among the Chinese at Kaifeng. The opening of a new bazaar at which the Governor was to have been present was called off yesterday on account of the feeling.

There is also some fear that foreigners may not be protected under the circumstances. The well known General Tsai, the special champion of the foreigners, is to remain neutral. This may lead to other complications for he, with them, may be caught between the upper and nether mill-stones.

California To Have American Navy Base

(Reuter's Service)

Washington, February 14.—Mr. Daniels, Secretary for the Navy, when accepting the offer of a site for a naval base from the town of Alameda conditional on the necessary Congressional appropriations being granted, stated that the Navy's most pressing need was a base in California.

Premier Millerand Leaves For London

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, February 22.—The Premier, M. Millerand, accompanied by Bignon and Thoumyre, undersecretaries of States, left for London today. The Premier will probably stay in London until the end of the week.

COIN ISSUES ARISES

(Reuter's Service)

London, Feb. 18.—In the House of Commons today the silver coinage bill, providing for a reduction in the fineness of silver coinage was read a second time. Mr. Chamberlain pointed out that the bill only affected the coinage of the United Kingdom wherever it was current and announced his intention to move an amendment, making it clear that in the case of the Dominions which were affected this coinage would not be made legal tender except with the consent of the local Government.

AMERICAN WOMAN'S CLUB

At a meeting of the American Woman's Club literary department, to be held Friday afternoon at the Royal Asiatic Society Hall, Mr. K. W. G. Lorden will deliver an address on "Chinese Jade and Stones."

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News Brevities

There will be a tea dance Thursday afternoon at the Country Club.

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Over 500 people attended the tea dance at the Astor House on Friday afternoon, breaking all records for attendance. The hotel orchestra was augmented by musicians from the Julian Eltinge jazz band.

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The annual meeting of the British Chamber of Commerce in Peking will be held Thursday in the Hongkong and Shanghai Bank, Peking.

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The Shanghai branch of Antoine Chiris, Paris importing and exporting house, has been opened at 124A Szechuen Road. The firm has had offices in Chungking for several years.

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The annual general meeting of the Shanghai Club will be held at the Club tomorrow afternoon at 5:30 o'clock.

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The ninth annual general meeting of Messrs. McTavish and Company will be held tomorrow at 6:30 p.m. at 1 Soochow Road, the office of the company.

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Shareholders of the Shanghai and Hongkew Wharf Company, Ltd., will hold their annual general meeting of Thursday, March 11, at 11:30 a.m. It will be held at the office of the general agents, Messrs. Jardine, Matheson and Company, 3a Peking Road.

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The 26th ordinary general meeting of the Laou Kung Mow Cotton Spinning and Weaving Company. Ltd., will be held Thursday afternoon at 4 o'clock at the offices of Messrs. Ilbert and Company, 4 The Bund.

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Mr. G. D. Musso has been appointed an officer of the Order of Christ in recognition of his services to the Portuguese community of Shanghai.

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The Grand Hotel de Pekin will open Saturday night. There will be a special dinner to be followed by dancing.

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Sir Alexander Hosie and Lady Hosie arrived in Shanghai from Hankow on the Kutwo Saturday.

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Captain Beverley and eleven British soldiers arrived in Shanghai from Tientsin on the Shuntien Saturday.

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Bishop de Guebriand, and the Rev. Fathers Rutten, Salvat and Bourgeois arrived in Shanghai from Hankow on the Poyang Sunday.

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The American College Club will meet this afternoon at the home of Mrs. F. J. Raven, 405 Avenue Joffre. Tea will be served at 4 o'clock and a musical program will follow.

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Victories By Lady Owners Are Features At Kiangwan Meeting, First Of Season; Champions Sweep Event On This Afternoon

Mrs. William McBain's 'The Flyer' Takes Derby Stakes With Springfield Up And Nets Win Backers $273.40; Mrs. Yih Is Other Victor, 'White Diamond' Capturing Griffin Plate Saturday; Big Crowds Follow Ponies

The Flyer, piloted by Mr. M. O. Springfield, captured the Derby Stakes for griffins before a big crowd yesterday, the second day of the New Year meeting of the International Recreation Club. The victory was significant in that the pony was owned by Mrs. William McBain wife of the noted aviator. Only 25 backed the pony for win and received $273.40 each. The horse paid $49.30 for place.

Mrs. McBain was the second "lady" victory at the meeting. Mrs. T. U. Yih, the Chinese jockey's wife, won the first honor at the first day's racing. Her pony, the White Diamond, captured the Griffin Plate.

There will be racing again today beginning at noon. The Champion Sweepstakes will be run this afternoon. It is the ninth event on the card. The meeting will continue today and end with racing on Saturday when the first saddling bell will be rung at 12:45 o'clock in the afternoon.

Yesterday's race took place in a sea of sod. Although the weather above was fine, the rain, hail and snow on the previous days made the course very sloppy and jockeys labored under great handicap. The classic event, the Derby Stakes, saw 14 starters. Co-operation, Mr. W. G. Crockam up, finished second, three lengths behind the winner. There was a similar distance between Co-operation and the third pony, Setchfield, ridden by its onwer, Mr. Morriss.

The Oriole, Billy Hill up, took the Kiangwan Stakes. The pony was one length and a half ahead of Petersfield, Mr. Morriss up. Bydand, Mr. G. Wuillumier riding, trotted in third. Twenty-two started in this race.

The biggest list of starters of the day, however, was the Workingham Stakes. There were 23 in the field. Twenty-two Carat, Mr. Frank R. Vida up, won easily, four lengths ahead of The Hawk, piloted on Mr. Hill. Mr. R. F. Stewart rode the third pony, Pennyfield.

Mr. Stewart rode Letchfield to win in the Red Rose Stakes, beating Cornoration, ridden by Mr. Crokam, by four lengths. Oldsmobile, Mr. T. L. Hu riding, came in a length behind the second pony.

TODAY'S RACES

1—The Novices Cup, 1½ miles.
2—The Spring Cup, 1¼ miles.
3—The New Year Stakes, 1 mile.
4—The Pari-Mutuel Stakes, 1½ miles.
5—The Ladies Purse, 1¼ miles.
6—The Great Northern Plate, 1 mile.
7—The Farewell Cup, 1¼ miles.
8—The New Century Plate, ¾ mile.
9—The Champion Sweepstakes, 1¼ miles.
10—The Nil Desperandum Cup, 9 furlongs.
11—The Grand Stand Stakes, 1¼ miles.

1.—The Corinthian Plate.—One mile and a quarter.

	lbs.	
Mr. Day's white Ancientland (Mr. Y. Wong)	153	—1
Mr. Lansing's ches Oldsmobile (Mr. H. W. Ip)	154	—2
Mr. K. D. Soo's ches Lighting, (Mr. Z. W. Yu)	150	—3

Also ran: Pop Off (Mr. L. F. Soong), Barometer (Mr. Sidney Soo), Yangtzse Kings (Mr. D. S. Li), Little Boy (Mr. A. S. Yih).

Won by three lengths; many lengths.

Time—2.58.

Pari-mutuel—for win, $23.10; for place, $8.80; $16.40 and $17.70.

Cash Sweep—first, 296; second, 27; third, 31. Unplaced—14, 87, 166 and 171.

2.—The Subscription Griffin Stakes—One mile and a quarter.

	lbs.	
Messrs. B. D. F. Beith and Fash's brown Ibn Kelb (Mr. S. B. M. Bremner)	152	—1
Mr. Meguro's dun Rokko, (Mr. J. Liou)	152	—2
Mr. Astral's bay Astral (Mr. Mottu)	155	—3

Also ran: Smilax (Mr. Y. Wong), Yellow Paper (Mr. J. K. Brand), Millimeter (Mr. Sidney Soo), Little Nemo (Mr. L. F. Soong), Brooksand (Mr. Crokam), Ace of Clubs (Mr. Hill), Charcoal (Mr. D. L. Li), Winnipeg (Mr. C. R. Burkill), Maya (Mr. Tomono), Kantara (Mr. Springfield), Hard To Name (Mr. V. Drought).

Won by 1½ lengths; 1½ lengths.

Time—2.56 4-5.

Parti-mutuel—for win, $7.60; for place, $6; $7.10 and $19.80.

Cash Sweep—first, 152; second 181; third, 174. Unplaced—157, 81, 127, 269, 223, 128, 295, 118, 68, 80 and 170.

3.—The Zero Cup.—One mile.

	lbs.	
Mr. Day's grey Shenkoland, (Mr. C. R. Burkill	155	—1
Messrs. Winsome and Hasty's grey The Heron, (Mr. W. Hill)	158	—2
Messrs. W. A. W. and Gussie's grey White Fox, late Sans Meric (Mr. Crokam)	152	—3

Also ran: Wellington (Mr. V. Droughts), Play Thing (Mr. D. S. Li), Gulfsand (Mr. Bremner), Loganfield (Mr. Stewart), Old Bill (Mr. Sweeting), Persimmon (Mr. T. U. Yih), Majuba, late Zang Bah San (Mr. E. S. Hine), Wilson (Mr. F. R. Vida), Polar Star (Mr. A. Commons), Inniskilling (Mr. Y. Wong), Newcastle (Mr. H. F. Hu), Rushton (Mr. Springfield), Footlight (Mr. T. Hulthen), Lightning Raider (Mr. Harker), Railway (Mr. J. Liou) and Yellow Diamond (Mr. J. K. Brand).

Won by three lengths; one length.

Time—2.14 1-5.

Pari-mutuel—for win, $7.10; for place $6.20; $15.60 and $33.80.

Cash Sweep—first, 174; second, 297; third, 271. Unplaced—56, 36, 31, 87, 261, 66, 196, 169, 242, 308, 46, 77, 135, 43, 284 and 63.

4.—The Greenmount Nursery Plate.—One mile.

	lbs.	
Mr. Foh Sing's black Ivanhoe (Mr. J. K. Brand)	152	—1
Messrs. J. Gubbay and N. W. Hackling's ches. Rupee Bill (Mr. Bremner)	158	—2
Mr. Chow Sung's gr. Full House (Mr. W. Hill)	152	—3

Also ran: Kilometer (Mr. Z. W. Yu), Victory Star (Mr. A. Commons), Homeland (Mr. C. Burkill), Automobile (Mr. V. Drought), Yoshino (Mr. H. Tomono), Exaggeration (Mr. Crokam).

Won by four lengths; a head.

Time—2.18 4-5.

Pari-mutuel—for win, $36.60; for place $11.90; $16.80 and $14.20.

Cash Sweep—first, 184; second, 174; third, 312. Unplaced—1, 298, 295, 26, 207 and 336.

5.—The Derby Stakes.—One and a half miles.

	lbs.	
Mrs. William McBain's black The Flyer (Mr. Springfield)	155	—1
Mr. Perchang's dun Co-operation (Mr. Crokam)	149	—2
Mr. Henry Morriss's dk. ches Setchfield (Mr. H. E. Morriss	155	—3

Also ran: Islington (Mr. H. F. Hu) Belted Will (Mr. W. Hill), Keysoe (Mr. T. U. Yih), Cuckfield (Mr. Stewart) Djemnah (Mr. Wuilleumier(, Darting (Mr. F. R. Vida), Sun Star (Mr. A. Commons), Freeland (Mr. C. R. Burkill) Kongo (Mr. J. Liou), White Diamond (Mr. J. K. Brand), Royalist (Mr. Bremner).

Won by three lengths; three lengths.

Time—3.29.

Pari-mutuel—for win, $273.40; for place, $49.30; $92 and $14.40.

Cash Sweep—first, 288; second, 323; third, 52. Unplaced—269, 164, 15, 65, 33, 255, 236, 184, 80, 77 and 135.

6.—The Great Scurry Stakes.—Seven furlongs.

	lbs.	
Mr. Day's ch. Commonland (Mr. C. R. Burkill)	155	—1
Messrs. Harry and Joe's gr. Silly Thing (Mr. D. L. Li)	152	—2
Mr. San Sing's gr. Thermometer (Mr. Z. W. Yu)	155	—3

Also ran: Pop Off (Mr. P. C. Wu) Kinross (Mr. Bremner) Shooting (Mr. F. R. Vida), Glorious Star (Mr. A. Commons), Brown Trout (Mr. P. A. Cox), Four of a Kind (Mr. W. Hill), Speculator (Mr. J. C. Bauld), Golden Melody (Mr. Harper), Yangtsze-Kiang (Mr. T. L. Hu), The Camel (Mr. Springfield).

Won by four lengths; four lengths.

Time—2.01.

Pari-mutuel—for win, $8.70; for place, $6.70; $32.30 and $43.90.

Cash Sweep—first, 251; second, 384; third, 375. Unplaced—358, 239, 324, 29, 295, 193, 121, 174, 359 and 133.

7.—The Kirtling Plate.—Nine furlongs.

	lbs.	
Mr. Tucksong's ches Victory Star (Mr. A. Commons)	147	—1
Mr. Meguro's grey Mikasa, (Mr. J. Liou)	158	—2
Mr. Leaf's dun Bright Folly (Mr. V. Drought)	158	—3

Also ran: Kilometer (Mr. Z. W. Yu) Betterland (Mr. C. R. Burkill), Polaris (Mr. W. Hill).

Won by a neck; three lengths. Time—2.37 1-5.

Pari-mutuel—for win, $29.70; for place, $7.60; $5.80 and $8.60.

Cash Sweep—first, 649; second, 619; third, 259. Unplaced—364, 332 and 485.

Eighth Race.

	lbs.	
Mr. Meguro's grey Yoshina (Mr. J. Liou)	140	—1
Mr. K. D. Soo's grey Beating (Mr. F. Vida)	147	—2
Mr. Perchangs grey Cornation (Mr. W. G. Crokam)	155	—3

Also run: Ace of Diamonds (Mr. W. Hill), Automobile (Mr. V. Drought) and Lahana (Mr. M. O. Springfield).

Won by three lengths; three lengths.

Time—2.53 1-5.

Pari-mutuel—for win, $40.20; for place, first, $12.70; second, $11.30; third, $8.10.

Members' sweep—first, 158; second, 600; third, 515. Unplaced—544, 615 and 113.

Ninth Race.

	lbs.	
Mr. Vigilant's ches Twenty-two Carat (Mr. F. R. Vida)	150	—1
Messrs. Winsome and Hasty's ches Hawk (Mr. W. Hill)	155	—2
Mr. Henry Morriss grey Pennyfield (Mr. R. F. Stewart)	160	—3

Also ran: Wellington (Mr. H. F. Hu), Soft Thing (Mr. S. B. Bremner), Victoria (Mr. S. Soo), Salars (Mr. M. O. Springfield), Java Chief (Mr. H. S. Sweeting), Midas (Mr. W. A. Dalgano), Co-insurance (Mr. W. G. Crokam), Rising Star (Mr. L. Sih), Sir Lamerock (Mr. G. Wuilleumier), Eastern Star (Mr. H. W. Ip), Polar Star (Mr. A. Commons), Nigger Minstrel, Mickey (Mr. Y. Wong), White Haven (Mr. T. U. Yih), Amagi (Mr. Tomono), Reformation (Mr. J. C. Bauld), Sideway (Mr. J. Liou), Si-kiang (Mr. T. L. Hu), Motorist (Mr. S. Matsumoto), and The Dancing Bird (Mr. J. K. Brand).

Won by four lengths; a head. Time—1.56 1-5.

For win, $63.90; for place, first, $15.90; second, 9.80; third, $8.20.

Members' sweep—first, 580; second, 96; third, 519. Unplaced—725, 168, 28, 161, 587, 74, 736, 716, 133, 665, 440, 139, 192, 381, 324, 291, 733, 374, 625 and 246.

Tenth Race

	lbs.	
Mr. Henry Morriss brown Letchfield (Mr. R. F. Stewart)	152	—1
Mr. Perchang's grey Coronation (Mr. W. G. Crokam)	155	—2
Mr. Lansing ches. Oldsmokile (Mr. T. L. Hu)	155	—3

Also ran: Nespola (Mr. T. U. Yih), Thermometer (Mr. Z. W. Yu), Evening Star (Mr. A. Commons), Brown Trout (Mr. P. A. Cox), White Heather (Mr. S. B. M. Bremner), Speculator (Mr. J. C. Bauld), By George (Mr. M. O. Springfield) and Bluff (Mr. W. A. Dalgano).

Won by four lengths; one length.

Time—2.16 4-5.

For win, $8.30; for place, first $5.80; second, $6.50; third, $10.60.

Members' sweep—first, 211; second, 67; third, 360. Unplaced—847, 433, 267, 30, 29, 233, 556 and 53.

Eleventh Race.

	lbs.	
Messrs. Winsome and Hasty's ches. The Oriole (Mr. William Hill)	151	—1
Mr. Henry Morriss' brown Petersfield (Mr. H. Morriss)	154	—2
Messrs. Stephen and Burkill's grey Bydand (Mr. G. Wuilleumier)	145	—3

Also ran: Fairylight (Mr. S. B. M. Bremner), Roseway (Mr. V. Drought), Maresfield (Mr. R. F. Stewart), Young Alf (Mr. H. S. Sweeting), Persimmon (Mr. T. U. Yih), New Star (Mr. C. T. Chu), Night Hawk (Mr. Frank R. Vida), Charing Cross (Mr. W. A. Dalgano), The Pioneer (Mr. Sidney Soo), Triumphant Star (Mr. T. L. Hu), Three of Spades (Mr. H. F. Hu), King of Hearts (Mr. L. F. Soong), Trustland (Mr. C. R. Burkill), Huruna, (Mr. H. Tomono), Daintylight (Mr. T. Hulthen), Scala (Mr. W. G. Crokam), Wild Cat (Mr. M. O. Springfield), Ladis (Mr. Z. W. Yu) and Old Joe (Mr. D. S. Li).

Won by one length and a half; three lengths.

Time—3.26 3-5.

For win, $13.80; for place, first, $6.50; second, $14.10; third, $16.50.

Members' sweep—first, 11; second, 405; third, 506. Unplaced—475, 320, 366, 513, 558, 188, 329, 538, 656, 29, 600, 534, 144, 434, 105, 683, 573, 291 and 55.

Results Of Races Run On Saturday

1.—The Eastern Plate.—One mile.

	lb.	
Mr. Day's br. Trustland (Mr. Y. Wong)	157	—1
" Idle Hour's dun Orononco (Mr. H. W. Ip)	145	—2
Messrs. Winsome & Hasty's grey Possum (Mr. L. E. Soong)	155	—3

Also ran:—Wellington (Mr. L. Sih), Persimmon (Mr. A. S. Yih), Sir Lamerock (Mr. P. C. Wu), The Pioneer (Mr. Z. W. Yu), King of Hearts (Mr. D. S. Li).

Won by half a length; a neck between second and third. Time, 2 min. 10 4-5 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win $27.80.—Places, $10.30, $14.90, $15.00.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 10, 238, 102. —Unplaced starters, 32, 17, 73, 282, 291.

2.—The Kokaza Cup.—Five furlongs.

	lb.	
Mr. Henry Morriss's grey Pennyfield (Mr. Stewart)	155	—1
Messrs. Winsome & Hasty's ches. The Hawk (Mr. Hill)	156	—2
Mr. Risk's grey Co-insurance (Mr. Crokam)	155	—3

Also ran:—Soft Thing (Mr. Bremner), Play Thing (Mr. D. L. Yi), Petersfield (Mr. Morriss), Old Bill (Mr. Wingrove), Rising Star (Mr. L. Sih), Charing Cross (Mr. H. F. Hu),, Eastern Star (Mr. Commons), Brown Trout (Mr. Vida), Inniskilling (Mr. Z. W. Yu), The Kangani (Mr. Hayes), White Fox (Mr. A. V. White), Rushton (Mr. P. C. Wu), Mickey (Mr. J. C. Bauld), Tuborg (Mr. S. B. Sorensen), Whitehaven (Mr. I. S. Law), Desertland (Mr. Springfield), Amagi (Mr. Tomono), Golden Spur (Mr. Harper), Sideway (Mr. Liou), Loszek (Mr. Sweeting), Old Joe (Mr. de Zutter), The Dancing Bird (Mr. J. K. Brand) and Merrysand (Mr. L. F. Soong).

Won by four length; a neck between second and third. Time, 1 min. 17 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win. $28.80.—Places, $20.10, $11.40. $18.70.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 81, 271, 87. —Unplaced starters, 289, 46, 257. 287, 310, 91, 235, 185, 32, 42, 48. 13, 282, 96, 131, 189, 138, 301, 325, 260, 232, 254, 283.

3.—The Subscription Griffin Plate.—Three-quarters of a mile.

	lb.	
Messrs. Beith & Fash's br. Ibn Kelb (Mr. Bremner)	149	—1
" Fash & St. Andrew's ches. Kantara (Mr. Springfield)	158	—2
Mr. Meguro's dun Rokko (Mr. Liou)	152	—3

Also ran:—Astral (Mr. H. W. Ip), Smilax (Mr. Y. Wong), Yellow Paper (Mr. J. K. Brand), Millimeter (Mr. Sidney Soo), Little Nemo (Mr. Hill), Brooksand (Mr. Crokam), Ace of Clubs (Mr. H. F. Hu), Charcoal (Mr. D. S. Li), Winnipeg (Mr. Burkill), Maya (Mr. Tomono), Hard to Name (Mr. C. T. Chu).

Won by two lengths; half a length between second and third. Time, 1 min. 38 2-5 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win. $40.60.—Places, $15.50, $22.70, 14.20.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 197, 269, 265.—Unplaced starters, 167, 155, 214, 238, 235, 194, 25, 225, 27, 293, 340.

4.—The Griffin Plate.—One Mile.

	lb.	
Mrs. Yih's grey White Diamond (Mr. J. K. Brand)	152	—1
Mr. Hy. Morriss's blk. Cuckfield (Mr. Stewart)	149	—2
" Hulthen's roan Belted Will (Mr. Crokam)	144	—3

Also ran:—Pop Off (Mr. L. F. Soong), Lighting (Mr. Vida), Victory Star (Mr. Commons), Royal Straight Flush (Mr. Hill), Homeland (Mr. Burkill), Automobile (Mr. Drought), The Flyer (Mr. Springfield), Moralist (Mr. Bremner), Little Boy (Mr. T. U. Yih).

Won by four lengths; half a length between second and third. Time, 2 min. 13 3-5 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win, $52.70.—Places, $18.80, $8.20, $14.70.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 271, 159, 122.—Unplaced starters, 267, 37, 153, 301, 227, 106, 181, 63, 83.

5.—The Empire Stakes.—One mile.

	lb.	
Mr. Hy. Morriss's br. Tichfield (Mr. Stewart)	155	—1
" Day's grey Shenkoland (Mr. Burkill)	155	—2
" P. Y. Wong's grey Sikiang (Mr. H. F. Hu)	155	—3

Also ran:—Soft Thing (Mr. D. S. Li), Salaro (Mr. Springfield), Java Chief (Mr. Sweeting), Triumph (Mr. Vida), Polar Star (Mr. Commons), Three of Spades (Mr. Hill), Pilgrim (Mr. Bremner), Footlight (Mr. Hulthen), Twenty-two Carat (Mr. C. T. Chu), Little Dipper (Mr. Crokam), The Home Bird (Mr. J. K. Brand).

Won by a head; many lengths between second and third. Time, 2 min. 11 3-5 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win, $13.70.—Places, $7.20, $7.70, $30.50.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 12, 324, 289.—Unplaced starters, 274, 223, 8, 255, 252, 204, 209, 249, 332, 19, 32.

6.—The Grand Juvenile Plate.—One and a quarter miles.

	lb.	
Mr. Four's bay Keysoe (Mr. J. K. Brand)	161	—1
" Meguro's ches. Kongo (Mr. Liou)	152	—2
" Leaf's dun Bright Folly (Mr. T. U. Yih)	158	—3

Also ran:—Severn (Mr. Bremner), Kilometer (Mr. Z. W. Yu), Sun Star (Mr. Commons), Four of a Kind (Mr. Hill), Bluff (Mr. Crokam), Polaris (Mr. Wingrove).

Won by a head; many lengths between second and third. Time, 2 min. 55 2-5 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win, $27.80.—Places, $7.20, $5.70, $16.70.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 174, 33, 305.—Unplaced starters, 188, 102, 35, 231, 377, 333.

7.—The Club Cup.—One and a half miles.

	lb.	
Mr. Hy. Morriss's dk. ches. Setchfield (Mr. Stewart)	155	—1
" Day's bay Freeland (Mr. Burkill)	155	—2
" Meguro's grey Mikasa (Mr. Liou)	158	—3

Also ran:—Islington (Mr. H. F. Hu), Djemnah (Mr. Wuilleumier), Beating (Mr. Vida), Full House (Mr. Hill), Co-operation (Mr. Crokam), Lahana (Mr. Springfield), Royalist (Mr. Bremner), Ivanhoe (Mr. J. K. Brand).

Won by three lengths; many lengths between second and third. Time, 3 min. 33 1-5 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win, $12.10.—Places, $7.20, $8.90, $16.60.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 268, 136, 283.—Unplaced starters, 195, 143, 263, 126, 160, 127, 154, 54.

8.—The Craven Stakes.—One and a quarter miles.

	lb.	
Mr. Tucksong's grey Guilding Star (Mr. Commons)	158	—1
" Hy. Morriss's grey Maresfield (Mr. Stewart)	155	—2
" Risk's grey Co-insurance (Mr. Crokam)	155	—3

Also ran: Fairylight (Mr. Hulthen), Gulfsand (Mr. Bremner), Roseway (Mr. T. U. Yih), Midas (Mr. V. Wong), The Heron (Mr. Hill), Vindictive (Mr. Vida), Haruna (Mr. Tomono), Newcastle (Mr. H. F. Hu), Lightning Raider (Mr. Harper), Ladis (Mr. Drought), Twenty-two Carat (Mr. C. T. Chu), Railway (Mr. Liou) Bydand (Mr. Wuilleumier), Last Call II (Mr. Sweeting), Hinode (Mr. de Zutter).

Won by three lengths; half a length between second and third. Time, 2 min. 54 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win, $51.20.—Places, $11.70, $6.50, $16.30.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 26, 45, 409. —Unplaced starters, 361, 269, 93, 24, 346, 135, 70, 235, 189, 316, 271, 77, 61.

9.—The New Nursery Plate.—Three-quarters of a mile.

	lbs.	
Mr. Day's ches. Commonland (Mr. Burkill)	152	—1
" Hy. Morriss's br. Lockfield (Mr. Stewart)	155	—2
" K. D. Soo's dun Shooting (Mr. Vida)	161	—3*
" Cemos' br. The Camel (Mr. Springfield)	164	—3*

Also ran:—Silly Thing (Mr. D. S. Li), Nespola (Mr. Y. Wong), Kinross (Mr. Liou), Thermometer (Mr. Sidney Soo), Evening Star (Mr. Commons), The Hobby (Mr. Hill), Oldsmobile (Mr. Drought), White Heather (Mr. Bremner), By George (Mr. Harper), Exaggeration (Mr. Crokam), Golden Melody (Mr. Sweeting), Yangtszekiang (Mr. H. F. Hu).

*Dead heat.

Won by neck; two lengths between second and third; dead heat for third place. Time, 1 min. 41 2-5 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win, $20.20.—Places, $8.70, $6.70, $13.30, $12.80.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 148, 414; 316, 267.—Unplaced starters, 218, 28, 78, 121, 316, 13, 286, 194, 407, 36, 197.

10.—The Yangtsze Stakes.—One and a half miles.

	lb.	
Mr. Hy. Morriss's br. Leofield (Mr. Stewart)	158	—1
Messrs. Winsome and Hasty's ches. The Oriole (Mr. Hill)	155	—2
Mr. Bahnchild's ches. Scala (Mr. Crokam)	158	—3

Also ran:—New Star (Mr. C. T. Chu), Night Hawk (Mr. Vida), Triumphant Star (Mr. Commons), Daintylight (Mr. Hulthen), Hallow-E'en (Mr. J. K. Brand), Yellow Diamond (Mr. T. U. Yih).

Won by three lengths; many lengths between second and third. Time, 3 min. 34 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win, $9.40.—Places, $5.90, $8.00, $9.70.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 39, 95, 274. —Unplaced starters, 232, 189, 92, 253, 157, 257.

11.—The Victoria Stakes.—One and a half miles.

	lb.	
Mr. K. D. Soo's grey Darling (Mr. Vida)	155	—1
" Chow Sung's Ace of Diamonds (Mr. Hill)	155	—2
" Perchang's grey Coronation (Mr. Crokam)	155	—3

Also ran:—Barometer (Mr. Sidney Soo), Betterland (Mr. Burkill), Yoshino (Mr. Tomono), Rupee Bill (Mr. Bremner).

Won by a length and a half; three lengths between second and third. Time, 3 min. 42 4-5 sec.

Pari-mutuel dividends:—Win, $9.90.—Places, $6.80, $11.30, $12.50.

Cash sweep:—Nos. 82, 2, 312. —Unplaced starters, 250, 271, 385, 86.

Thirty Club Sweeps

Members of the Thirty Club, 1a Jinkee Road, are holding Champion sweeps among themselves for the big race this afternoon at Kiangwan. The results of the drawings are:—Trustland, 641; Pennyfield, 150; Ibn Kelb, 2; White Diamond, 610; Tichfield, 506; Keysoe, 311; Setchfield, 629; Guiding Star, 9; Commonland, 126; Leofield, 363; Darting, 661; Ancientland, 532; Shenkoland, 488; Ivanhoe, 114; The Flyer, 394; Victory Star, 65; Yoshino, 794; Twenty Two Carat, 639; Letchfield, 473; The Oriole, 647 and The Field, 178.

American Athletes In Olympic Games

(*Reuter's Service*)

Washington, February 13.—After conferring with high Government officials the Olympic Games committee has obtained official Government sanction and support for the American team which will be entered at Antwerp. President Wilson has accepted the honorary presidency of the committee and Mr. Baker, Secretary of War, and Mr. Daniels, Secretary of the Navy, will be honorary Vice-Presidents.

Billiards Handicap

Entries will be closed today for the open handicap tournament to be conducted by the Amateur Billiards Association. Entries, with the fee of three dollars, should be sent to Mr. R. Philipps, care Messrs. Gando, Price and Company, 48 Kiangse Road.

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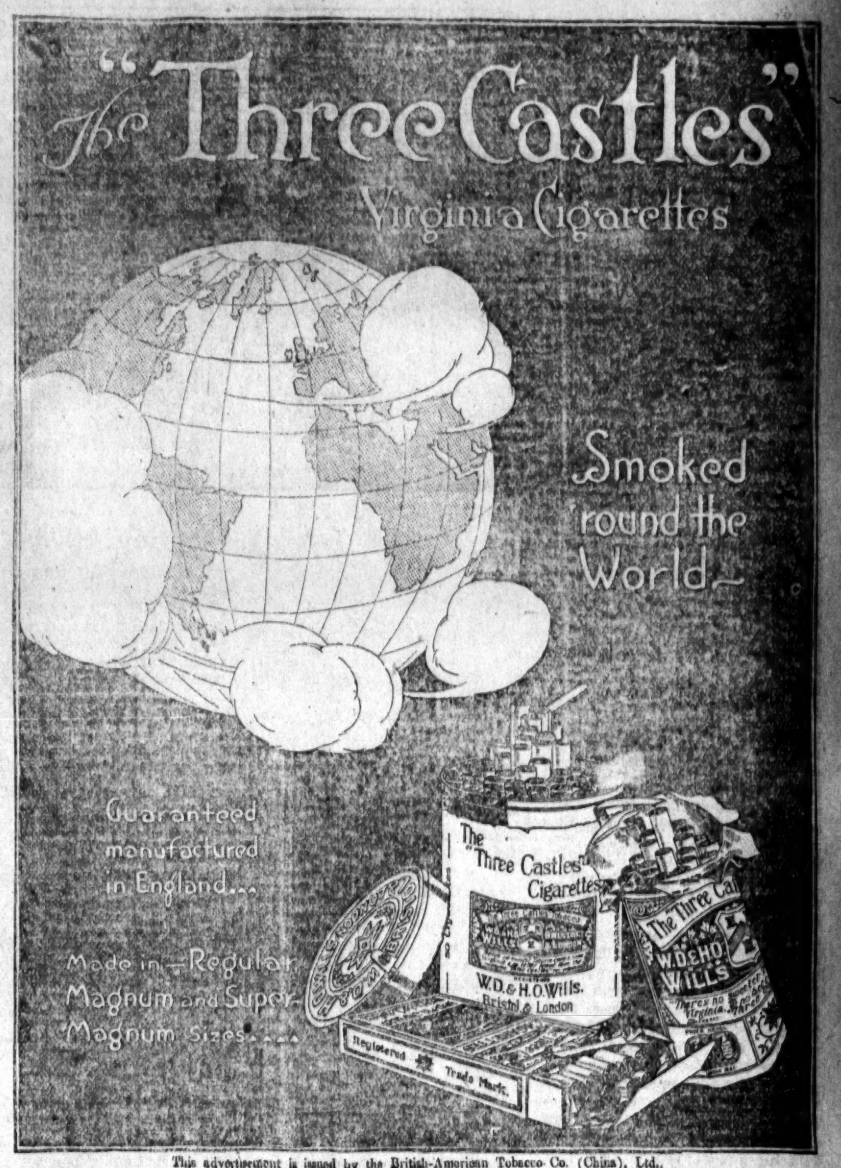

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New York's Municipal Lodging House Staff Reduced; Alcoholic Ward Abandoned

(From The Christian Science Monitor)

New York, Jan. 2.—Prohibition has been a marked factor in the drop of the charity census in this city, according to Bird S. Coler, commissioner of public charities, referring to comparative statistics of the number of applicants since July 1, 1919, with those in similar periods of former years.

"I believe that about 50 percent of the great decrease in our work is due to prohibition, and the other 50 percent to general prosperity," Commissioner Coler told a representative of this news office. "Formerly I was not in favor of taking the workingman's beer from him, but now I have to let figures speak for themselves, and they show that prohibition has reduced every branch of the work.

"We need 20 fewer employes in the municipal lodging house now than formerly, as there is an average of only 66 applicants daily, as compared with 120 in 1918, and from 500 to 600 in 1917. There are so few patients in the alcoholic ward of Bellevue Hospital, the largest of its kind in the United States, that the hospital committee has just approved the abandonment of the ward as such, and its conversion to purposes more needed at this time. In other alcoholic wards here the same results are reported. The Coney Island Hospital, usually active in the summer, with many cases of alcoholism, reports that this year the number was practically negligible.

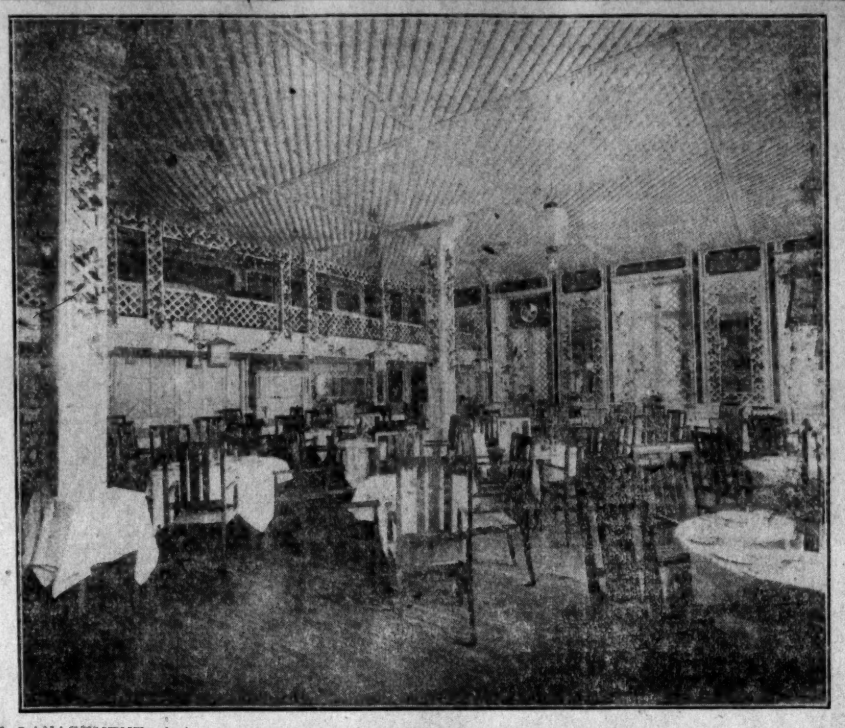
"Since July 1 there has been a 30 percent reduction in the calls for charity ambulance service, and an even greater reduction for private service. Practically every hospital reports vacancies, whereas formerly they have been well filled. There have also been fewer child commitments in recent months, and were it not that a number of radicals have considered their children as state property here and deserted them, the number would be less. Prohibition and an abundance of work are bringing general prosperity to th's city."

War and prohibition are responsible for the decrease in applicants at the McAuley Mission, according to Mrs. John H. Wyburn, wife of its superintendent, who said that many derelicts had been reformed under the "work or fight" war law and that there were fewer drunkards than previously. Only about 60 apply for dinners daily now, as compared with more than 200 in former times.

The abundance of labor and the recognition of the worth of unskilled labor are largely responsible for the reduction of applicants at the Bowery Mission, according to A. C. Baker, secretary.

"The lazy man is our hardest problem," Mr. Baker told a representative of The Christian Science Monitor, "as we can get the others on their feet in a short time, as a rule. We have been working hard to check outbreak of radicalism among the unemployed and have held regular patriotic rallies weekly at which we have had talks on loyalty to the Constitution. As a result there has not been a single outbreak on the Bowery and practically no sympathy shown to the radical soap box orator."

New Rose Garden Opens At Carlton Cafe



MANAGEMENT of the Carlton Cafe introduced a new attraction for foreigners in the Orient last Friday evening when it formally opened "The Rose Garden." This new dining room was declared an artistic success by the throng that filled it on the opening night and Mr. Paul O. Arnswalde, who designed it, drew the plans and personally supervised the work of decoration, was heartily congratulated by the patrons who admired the effect of his efforts.

The general scheme bears some resemblance to the pioneer "Vine Room" in the basement of the Hotel Rome at Omaha, the Shelburne "Rose Gardens" at Atlantic City or "Tait's" at San Francisco.

Tables for the opening of the new dining room were engaged well in advance of the event and the demand was much greater than the capacity of the Rose Garden allowed of fulfillment.

Mr. Arnswalde, besides being a decorator of ability, is acknowledged as a restauranteur of the best American school.

Mr. Ferruccio Caravacci proved himself a master of the culinary art by the excellence of the dinner served on the occasion of the opening of the Garden.

Shanghai American School Notes

On account of the Chinese New Year and Washington's birthday the school was closed from Friday noon until this morning when regular work will be resumed.

Appropriate exercises were held in the Chapel at 9 o'clock Friday morning. The devotions were conducted by Rev. C. L. Boynton, a member of the School Board, who also introduced Dr. F. S. Brockman, the speaker of the morning. Dr. Brockman is well known in China where he has devoted many years to the service of the Young Men's Christian Association. As an Association man he has an international reputation, having served in this capacity on three continents.

Mr. Brockman took as his theme "George Washington and the Progress of Democracy," which he helped to establish along with Jefferson, Hamilton, Madison, Monroe, and others. "One of the fundamental ideas of a democracy," said Mr. Brockman, "is to conquer the world by kindness, which is just what our country has been trying to do ever since its foundation."

Mr. Brockman also mentioned the fact that he had had the great privilege of helping to establish the Shanghai American School in 1912, that three of his sons attended the school, and that when its graduates entered the colleges and universities in America they never fail to meet all competition in scholarship and other school activities, including athletics. He congratulated the boys and girls on having the privilege of preparing for college in an American school in China.

During the exercises "America" and "The Star Spangled Banner" were sung by the school.

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ENROLLMENT IS LARGE

The total number of pupils enrolled this session is 188, which represents an increase of 10 percent over the total enrollment for last year. Of this number 83 are boarding in the school and 105 are day pupils. Additional pupils will run the enrollment almost to 200 before the session closes in June. On account of the crowded condition of the dormitories several applicants have been turned away from the school.

The following new pupils have entered the school since the Christmas holidays:

Joseph MacKinnon, second year High School, Shanghai;
William Woods, first year High School, Tsingkiangfu;
Lucy Grier, eighth grade, Suchowfu;
Mary Hawkes, eighth grade, Shanghai;
Ruth Worth, seventh grade, Kiangyin;
Dorothy Cole, sixth grade, Shanghai;
Sherwin Brennerman, fifth grade, Shanghai;
Margery Cole, second grade, Shanghai;
Ruth Black, first grade, Shanghai.

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It has been necessary to make a number of changes in the corps of teachers since the holidays. Late in January, Miss Mabel P. Jennings went home on account of ill health and Mrs. A. C. Bowen of Shanghai was secured to take her place. Mrs. Bowen has taught for a number of years and has resided in China for two decades. The school authorities were very fortunate in securing her services.

Instrumental music has been so popular that it became necessary to get another part-time teacher to assist in this department. Miss M. Rabeneau, and an experienced piano teacher, was secured for this work. The department of instrumental music is in charge of Miss Lila K. LaMond. Other part-time teachers are Mrs. S. E. Taylor, and Miss Mary McConnell.

Mr. Thomas O. Burgess has also lately joined the faculty and is in charge of the department of Science. Mr. Burgess is a graduate of Wheaton College, Wheaton, Ill. After graduation he taught science in Wheaton Academy for two years, but as a preparation for this work he took post-graduate work in science in the University of Illinois for one year. He was promoted to the position of assistant instructor in Physics in his Alma Mater. While teaching here he entered the Medical Corps of the United States Army and served in this capacity until just after the armistice was signed. After leaving the army he worked for a year in the chemical laboratories of the city of Chicago. He is a member of the American Chemical Society. Mr. Burgess sings well and is a trained athlete. These qualifications add to his usefulness as a teacher in the school. He has a brother who is now teaching at Kikungshan.

Mr. Richard M. Vanderburgh will not sever his connection with the school in view of the coming of Mr. Burgess. Mr. Vanderburgh has rendered very valuable services to the school and the school authorities requested him to remain and continue his efforts in arousing school spirit by helping with athletics, Boy Scouts, etc.

Mme. Louise Rayot who has been teaching elementary French in the school since the opening of the session last fall on a part-time basis has been offered a full-time position in one of the public schools and has resigned from the American School. Her position will be open on March 1. Application should be made to the Principal.

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MRS. SMITH HURT

The many friends of Mrs. Sarah E. Smith will regret to learn that she met with a painful accident a few days ago. She was run down on Range Road by an automobile in the hands of an inexperienced driver and seriously bruised about the head and other parts of the body. The ricsha in which she was riding at the time was damaged. Instead of rendering assistance the driver fled and has not been seen since. The police know him and it is probable that he will be apprehended within a few days.

Mrs. Smith is improving at the Victoria Nursing Hospital and she will be able to resume her duties as Matron of the school in a week or two.

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PUPILS AT SONG SERVICE

The pupils attended in a body the special services under the auspices of the American Song Service at the Palace Hotel on Washington's birthday. Pierson Parker, Third Year High School, took part in the exercises by reading Washington's Rules of Conduct. All the pupils were deeply interested in the able address of Judge Lobingier.

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QUARTERLY REPORTS OUT

Quarterly reports of the pupils are being sent out today. These reports are for the second quarter. In general the reports are satisfactory and show that a large majority of the pupils have been doing good work.

Wales Beats France In Rugby Match

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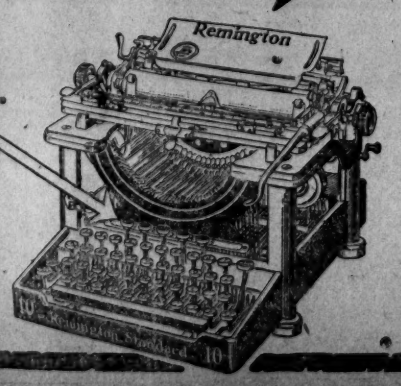

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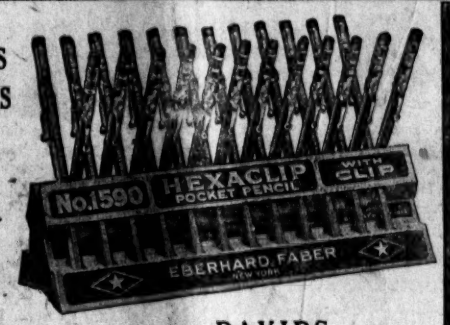

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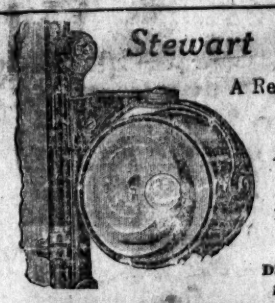

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Notice is hereby given that pursuant to the provisions of Article 4 (1) of the China (Companies) Amendment Order in Council 1919, MR. CARL LUDWIG SEITZ has resigned his position of and will cease to act as the General Agent and Manager of the Company as from the 28th of February, 1920, and that in consequence thereof the Power of Attorney dated the 26th July, 1909, granted by the Company to the said Carl Ludwig Seitz has been revoked as from the said date AND NOTICE is hereby further given that the Company has appointed MESSRS. ARNHOLD BROTHERS & COMPANY, LIMITED, the Attorneys and General Agents and Managers of the Company who will act as such on and from the 1st March, 1920, until further notice.

By order of the Board of Directors,

C. L. SEITZ,
General Agent & Manager
The China Import & Export Lumber Co., Ltd.

Shanghai, 16th February, 1920.

27959

The Shanghai Chemical Laboratory

No. 20 Nanking Road
3rd floor

Shanghai Race Club

NOTICE

Members desiring Licences for Trainers, head-mafoos and/or riding boys for the half-year ending 31st August, 1920, also stable accommodation for their ponies in the Mohawk Road Stables (under monthly leases only) are requested to forward their applications to the undersigned before 6 p.m. on Saturday, 28th inst.

Application forms are obtainable at the Grand Stand or on application to the undersigned.

By Order of the Stewards,

A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.

27995

French Government Loan 1920
5 %

The BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE will receive subscriptions to the above loan up to the 20th of March, 1920.

Bonds of 100 Francs will be redeemed within 60 years at 150 Francs each by half-yearly drawings.

Interest at the rate of 5% will be payable twice a year, on the 1st of May and 1st of November.

The Bonds will be free of any tax.

French Rente 3½% and "Bons" and "Obligations" de la Defense Nationale, as well as coupons due or to fall due in the course of the present half-year on these securities will be accepted in payment.

The best conditions of exchange will be given by

THE BANQUE DE L'INDO-CHINE.
29, The Bund.

27854

Municipal Notification

No. 2678.

ELECTION OF COUNCILLORS.

In accordance with Article XVIII of the Land Regulations, we, the undersigned scrutineers duly appointed by the Council, hereby declare that the following nine Ratepayers polled the greatest number of votes at the election held on February 16 and 17, and are therefore declared to have been duly elected as the Council for the Foreign Community of Shanghai for the year 1920-21:—

A. Brooke Smith	770
C. M. Bain	661
D. Goh	586
W. P. Lambe	503
G. T. M. Edkins	457
H. A. Macintyre	447
M. Benjamin	398
Lt. Col. P. A. Cox, O.B.E.	347
S. Fessenden	337

Total number of votes 883 and 22 irregular votes.

P. W. MASSEY,
H. G. SIMMS,
Scrutineers.

By order,

N. O. LIDDELL,
Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, February 17, 1920.

28004

CHINA PRODUCE

Gentleman recommended for position of trust as Dept. Manager, Agent, buyer or seller. Has ability and unusual practical knowledge of hairnets, strawbraid, beancake, oils, tallows, groundnuts, walnuts, etc. and of places of production. Apply to Box 72, THE CHINA PRESS.

SITUATIONS WANTED

ADVERTISER, leaving Shanghai, desires recommend capable and reliable Chinese boy, who can act as personal servant or "number one." Apply to Box 81, THE CHINA PRESS.

28034 F.25

PRACTICAL domesticated British woman, just arrived, is open for engagement in British home as housekeeper. Apply to Box 82, THE CHINA PRESS.

28036 F.24

LADY (British) desires position typist and stenographer, half day preferred; also pupils for English, shorthand. Apply to Box 83, THE CHINA PRESS.

28037 F.25

A BRITISHER, 28 years, requires position. Seven years' experience in U.S., good organiser with mechanical ability, heating and plumbing or power plant work. Knowledge of Chinese. Apply to Box 77, THE CHINA PRESS.

28025 F.25

BOOKKEEPER, with sound knowledge of accounts, desires extra work. Strictly confidential. Apply to Box 66, THE CHINA PRESS.

27997 F.26

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EDUCATED lady, with great experience in teaching, gives lessons in French, Russian, and German. Address Oriental Hotel, Nanking Road, Room 67, from 12-2 o'clock.

28033 F.26

A LADY wants to give French, German and Russian lessons. Apply Oriental Hotel, Room No. 58, A.K., from 11-2.

28003

Business and Official Notices are Continued on Page 9

APARTMENTS

Connaught House
8 Quinsan Gardens.

BOARD—RESIDENCE.
Apply Mrs. G. POLLOCK.

TO LET, with board, from March 1st, large, comfortable, newly furnished room with bathroom adjoining. Suitable for two bachelor friends, married couple, or to be rented to a single occupant. All modern comforts. Apply to Box 65, THE CHINA PRESS.

FURNISHED apartment for rent, newly furnished in American home, room with breakfast, private bath. Avenue Joffre. Apply to Box 85, THE CHINA PRESS.

28045 F.24

APARTMENT, centrally located, two light rooms, kitchen and bath, with latest improvements, for immediate possession. Apply 25 Avenue Edouard VII, room 10.

28038 F.26

To LET, nicely furnished front-room, facing south, with bathrooms and verandah attached. Apply 36 Quinsan Road.

28020 F. 24

TO LET, one flat of two well-furnished rooms with bathroom and verandah attached. Please apply 37 Markham Road.

28027 F.25

TO LET, flat, consisting of four rooms, two bathrooms, kitchen, pantry and servants' quarters. Rent Tls. 50.00. In Wayside district. Will sell fittings and furniture below cost. Address or call Freight Department, American Express Company.

27948

NICELY furnished rooms to let, with board, use of telephone, etc. Apply 78 Bubbling Well Road.

27997 F.26

TO LET, furnished large and small front bedrooms with glazed verandah from the 20th inst.; board if desired, 7 Wayside Road.

27949

TO LET, large furnished room with bathroom attached (hot water). Also one small room. Apply 23, North Szechuen Road, Phone North 2554.

27946 F.24

OFFICES, ETC., TO LET

OFFICES TO LET: 14 Canton Road 3 very spacious Rooms first floor for a term of four years immediate occupation. Apply J. T. Hammond 51, Szcheuen Road.

27736

APARTMENTS WANTED

WANTED, room and board in private American family by American business-woman. References if desired. French town or western district preferred. Call West 779.

28029 F.24

TWO BACHELORS, American, desire furnished flat without board; central district preferred. Apply to Box 76, THE CHINA PRESS.

28023 F. 28

HOUSES TO LET

TO LET, for six months, very desirable foreign residence, in fine residential district. Seven rooms, large garden, tennis lawn. Furniture to be taken over by new tenant. Rental Tls. 150 per month. Apply to China Realty Co., Ltd.

27947

TO LEASE, large comfortable house, ample servants' quarters, garage and stable, 136 Jessfield Road, formerly 20 Robinson Road at Jessfield Road. Apply premises or J. T. Hammond, No. 51 Szechuen Road.

27731

Amusement Advertising will be found on Page 14

SITUATIONS VACANT

APPLICATIONS FOR POSITIONS WANTED from I.C.S. Students who have completed half or more of courses of training. We continually receive requests from employers wanting trained men. Give full particulars regarding progress made in your I.C.S. Course, experience, salary wanted, etc. Address Service Dept., Office 15A, International Correspondence Schools, 11c Nanking Road.

WANTED for pleasant office position with American firm, young lady with good knowledge of English to handle correspondence. Not necessary to know shorthand but experience in typing useful. Reply in own handwriting stating qualifications and salary desired. Apply to Box 84, THE CHINA PRESS.

28043 F.26

WANTED, a first-class canvasser—either sex. Must have good education, appearance and address. No salary, but liberal commission. Apply to Box 80, THE CHINA PRESS.

F.25

WANTED, a young man, single, to teach English in Mahan School, Yangchow, a school for Chinese boys. For further information, enquire of M.P. Walker, 4 Minghong Road.

28035 F.26

WANTED, a translator with first-class Chinese penmanship, able to translate from English into Chinese and vice versa. Apply to Box 68, THE CHINA PRESS.

28000

APARTMENTS TO LET

TO LET, six roomed house in Western District, from April 1st, for seven months. Fully furnished, 3 bedrooms and bathrooms, stable, garage, garden. Tls. 150.00 per month. Please reply to Box 79, THE CHINA PRESS.

HOUSES WANTED

WANTED, for a period of at least four or six months, a four-roomed house, furnished or unfurnished, from April 1st this year. Reply, stating terms, to G. Richert, c/o Whangpoo Conservancy Board, 6 Kiukiang Road.

28015 F.24

MISCELLANEOUS

WILL pay attractive bonus for two first-class tickets for passage to U.S.A. during March. Please reply to Box 78, THE CHINA PRESS.

280228 F.26

INFLUENZA VACCINE: Will the person who was making enquiries in Hongkong for five thousand doses of influenza vaccine kindly communicate as he can be supplied. Apply "Influenza," South China Morning Post, Hongkong.

28016 F.24

EXCHANGE AND MART

GOOD imported pony and victoria with all equipment for sale. Apply to Box 86, THE CHINA PRESS.

28046 F.26

FOR SALE, second-hand typewriter, Remington No. 7 model, best offer accepted. Apply to Box 71, THE CHINA RRESS.

28007 F.24

FOR SALE, Premier five-passenger motor car, 1918 model, electric gearshift, newly overhauled and repainted. Bargain at Tls. 2,000. Owner leaving city. Enquire to Box 74, THE CHINA PRESS.

28012 F.25

COMPLETE Uni-lectric lighting plant capacity 750 watts at 110 volts (¾ K.W.) Compact unit 45 inches high, occupying floor space 24 x 25 inches. Will carry 50 lighting bulbs. New, never been used. Price Tls. 300, which is less than cost. Apply to Box 73, THE CHINA PRESS.

28011 F.27

Chinese and Foreign Banking Announcements

Chartered Bank of India, Australia and China

Incorporated by Royal Charter 1853.

Capital £2,000,000
Reserve Fund 2,000,000
Reserve Liability of Shareholders £2,100,000

Head Office:
38 Bishopsgate, London, E. C.

Court of Directors:
Sir Montagu Cornish Turner, Chairman.
Sir Duncan Carmichael.
T. Cuthbertson, Esq.
Sir Alfred Dent, K.C.M.G.
W. H. Neville Goschen, Esq.
The Rt. Hon. Lord George Hamilton, G.C.S.I.
W. Foot Mitchell, Esq.
James Maxwell Grant Prophit, Esq.
Lewis Alexander Wallace, Esq.

Bankers:
The Bank of England.
The London Joint City & Midland Bank Limited.
The London County and Westminster and Parrs Bank, Ltd.
The National Provincial Bank of England, Limited.
The National Bank of Scotland, Limited.

Agencies and Branches:

Amritsar	Ipoh	Puket
Bangkok	Karachi	Rangoon
Batavia	Klang	Saigon
Bombay	Kobe	Seremban
Calcutta	Kuala	Singapore
Canton	Lumpur	Shanghai
Cebu	Madras	Sourabaya
Colombo	Manila	Taiping
Delhi	Medan	(F. M. S.)
Haiphong	New York	Tavoy
Hankow	Peking	(Lower
Hongkong	Penang	Burma)
Iloilo	Yokohama	Tientsin

Shanghai Branch 18 The Bund.

Drafts granted on the above agencies and Branches and also on the principal Commercial Cities throughout the world. Bills of Exchange bought, Travelling Letters of Credit issued and every description of Banking and Exchange business undertaken.

Interest allowed on Current Deposit Accounts, according to arrangement.

Fixed Deposits are received for twelve months and shorter periods at rates to be ascertained on application.

C. J. SCOTT.
Manager.

Banque De L'Indo-Chine

Capital .... Frs. 48,000,000.00
Reserve .... Frs. 50,000,000.00

Succursales et Agences:

Bankok	Hanoi	Saigon
Battambang	Hongkong	Shanghai
Canton	Mengtze	Singapore
Djibouti	Noumea	Tientsin
Poudichery	Peking	Tourane
Haiphong	Papoete	
Haikoou	Pnom-Penh	

Bankers:
In France: Comptoir National d'Escompte de Paris; Credit Lyonnais; Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas; Credit Industriel et commercial; Societe Generalle.
In London: The Union of London and Smith's Bank, Ltd.; Comptoir National d'Escompte des Paris; Credit Lyonnais.

This Shanghai Agency undertakes all banking operations and exchange business, grants credits on goods and approved securities and receives deposits on current and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

L. ARDAIN.
Manager.

The Exchange Bank of China

SHANGHAI BRANCH
41 Kiangse Road.

Telephone C. 1941.
Telegraphic Address "Knabes."

Capital .....Yen 10,000,000

Head Office ..... Peking.
Registered in the Ministry of Finance.

General Banking Business of Every Description transacted.

Foreign and Domestic Exchange Business a specialty. We issue Demand Drafts, T/T, Letters of Credit, Buying and Selling Specie, etc., etc.

Foreign and Domestic Commercial Papers and Bills discounted.

Loans and Advances made on approved Securities.

Interest allowed on current accounts and fixed deposits according to arrangement.

Foreign Agencies at Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe, Osaka, Nagasaki, Moji, Singapore, Bombay, London, New York.

Domestic Agencies at Tientsin, Hankow, Kiukiang, Tsingtau, Dairen, Changchun, Mukden, Foochow, Amoy, Swatow, Hongkong, Canton.

P. C. KONG.
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

Paid-up Capital $15,000,000

Reserve Funds:—
Sterling £1,500,000
Silver $21,000,000

Reserve Liability of Proprietors ... $15,000,000

Head Office: HONGKONG
Court of Directors:
J. A. Plummer, Esq., Chairman.
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Chief Manager.
Hongkong—N. J. Stabb.

Branches and Agencies:

Amoy	Ipoh	Penang
Bangkok	Johore	Rangoon
Batavia	Kobe	Saigon
Bombay	Kuala	S. Francisco
Calcutta	Lumpur	Shanghai
Canton	London	Singapore
Colombo	Lyons	Sourabaya
Foochow	Malacca	Tientsin
Hankow	Manila	Tsingtao
Harbin	Nagasaki	Vladivostock
Iloilo	New York	Yokohama
	Peking	

London Bankers:
London County Westminster and Parr's Bank, Ltd.

Shanghai Branch: 12, The Bund.
Sub-Agency: 9 Broadway.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and on Fixed Deposits according to arrangement.

Local Bills Discounted.

Credits granted on approved Securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Drafts granted on London and the chief commercial places in Europe, India, Australia, Africa, China, Japan and America.

A. G. STEPHEN,
Manager.

Russo-Asiatic Bank

	Roubles.
Capital (fully-paid) .	55,000,000
Reserve Fund	26,960,000
Capital Contributed by Chinese Government	Kup. Tls. 3,500,000
Reserve Fund	1,750,000

Head office: Petrograd.
Paris office: 9 Rue Boudreau.
London office: 64 Old Broad Street, E. C. 2.

Bankers:
London: Messrs. Glyn, Mills, Currie & Co.
Paris: Societe Generale pour favoriser le Developement du Commerce et de l'Industrie en France. Banque de Paris et des Pays-Bas.
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(Kwan-chendze)	Harbin	Peking
	Hongkong	Shanghai
Chefoo	Manchouli	Tientsin
Dairen (Dalny)	Newchwang	Vladivostock
		Yokohama

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SHANGHAI BRANCH
Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, and Dollars. Terms on application.

Local Bills discounted. Special facilities for Russian Exchange.

Foreign Exchange on the principal cities of the world bought and sold.

Safe Deposit Boxes.

L. JEZIERSKI,
Manager for Asia.

The Bank Of China

(Specially authorised by Presidential Mandate of 15th April, 1915)

Authorised Capital $60,000,000.00
Paid-Up Capital: .$12,279,800.00
Reserve Fund ... $1,298,522.60
Special Reserve Fund $1,898,933.68

Head Office: Peking.
Branches and Agencies:

Peking	Taiyuan	Shanghai
Tientsin	Kaifong	Hankow
Chanchun	Wuhu	Ichang
Antung	Anking	Changsha
Dalny	Hangchow	Nanchang
Moukden	Ningpo	Kiukiang
Newchwang	Nanking	Foochow
Harbin	Chinkiang	Amoy
Kirin	Hsuchow	Canton
Tsinan	Soochow	Hongkong
Chefoo	Wusieh	Swatow
Tsingtao	Yangchow	Chungking

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
3 Hankow Road.

Loans granted on approved Securities. Local Bills discounted. Interests allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels or Dollars according to arrangement.

Sung Han-chang,
Manager.

Shanghai, 15th February, 1919.

Banque Belge Pour L'Etranger

Societe Anonyme
Filiale de la Societe Generale de Belgique
(THE BELGIAN BANK)

Paid-up Capital £2,000,000
Reserves £481,000

Head office: BRUSSELS
London Office: 2 Bishopsgate, E.C.2
Branches: Cologne, Bucharest, Alexandria, Tantah, Cairo, Peking and Tientsin.

Agents:
Manchester: 31 Mosley Street

President:
JEAN JADOT
Gouverneur de la Ste Gle de Belgique

Correspondents in all important cities of the world.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts in gold or local currency and fixed deposits according to arrangements.

Every description of banking and exchange business transacted.

L. STRAETMANS,
Manager.

Hongkong & Shanghai Banking Corporation

SavingsBank Office:
12 The Bund and 9 Broadway.

Deposits of not less than $1, or over $100, will be received at one time.

Not more than $1,200 will be received in one year from any single depositor whose credit balance shall not at any time exceed the sum of $5,000.

Interest at the rate of 3½ per cent per annum will be allowed on the monthly minimum balance. Deposits may be withdrawn on demand. Accounts will be kept either in Mexican Dollars or Taels, at the option of the depositor.

Depositors will be presented with Pass Books in which all transactions will be entered. Pass Books must be presented when paying in or withdrawing money.

Office Hours—10 a.m. to 3 p.m. Saturday, 10 a.m. to 12 noon.

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Specially authorised by Presidental Mandates of April 7th, 1914. and October 31, 1915.

Capital: Kuping Taels 10,000,000

HEAD OFFICE: PEKING
Over 60 Branches and Agencies at principal cities and commercial centers in China.

Agencies abroad; Singapore, Hongkong, Tokyo (Japan).

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35 Szechuen Road

Interest allowed on both Current and Fixed Deposit Accounts; Credit granted to approved securities, and every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted.

Y. M. CHIEN Acting Manager.

The National Commercial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1907.
Paid-Up Capital ...$1,000,000.00
Reserve Fund 891,847.41
Head Office: Shanghai
Peking and Kiangse Roads.
Tels: Managers' Office: Cen. 2650
General Office: Cen. 2613 & 2614
Branches:
Hangchow, Hankow, Peking, Tientsin, Mukden and Harbin.
FOREIGN CORRESPONDENTS
London, New York, San Francisco, Tokio, Yokohama, Kobe and Osaka.

Correspondents at the principal cities throughout China.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts and Fixed Deposits in Taels, Dollars, Gold Dollars, Sterling and Yen according to arrangement.

Interest allowed on Deposits at Call both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Domestic and Foreign Drafts purchased and sold.

Credit granted on approved securities.

Savings accounts—4% per annum.

Every description of banking business transacted.

Modern Safe Deposit Boxes For Rent.

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Shu Chin Mih, Sub-Manager.
C. C. Yang, Sub-Manager.

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San Francisco Office:
322 Montgomery Street

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China	Philippines
Shanghai	Manila
Peking	Cebu
Tientsin	
Tsingtau	Straits Settlements
Hankow	Singapore
Hongkong	
Canton	Dominican Republic
Manchuria	Santo Domingo
Harbin	
India	San Pedro de Macoris
Bombay	
Calcutta	Sanchez
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Java	
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THE NATIONAL CITY BANK OF NEW YORK

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Branches in Havana and 21 of the principal cities of Cuba.

Commercial and Travellers' Letters of Credit, Bills of Exchange and Cable Transfers bought and sold. Current accounts opened and Fixed Deposits in local and foreign currencies taken at rates that may be ascertained on application to the Bank.

H. C. GULLAND, *Manager.*
1a Kiukiang Road.

Commercial Bank of China

Head Office: SHANGHAI

	Sh. Tls.
Subscribed Capital ...	5,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	2,500,000

Advances made on approved securities. Bills discounted.

Interest allowed on Current Accounts at 2 per cent per annum on daily balance. On Fixed deposits:
For 3 months at 3% per annum.
For 6 months at 4% per annum.
For 12 months at 5% per annum.

On deposits in Dollars according to arrangement.

H. G. MARSHALL.
Chief Manager.

中 華 銀 行
Chung Foo Union Bank

(Established in 1917.)
Statutes approved by the Government in 1916.
Head Office: Tientsin

Subscribed Capital ..	$2,000,000
Paid-Up Capital	$1,020,000
Reserve Fund	$ 54,000

Managing Director:
T. CLARENCE SUN
Deputy Managing Director:
NIEH CHI-WEI

Branches and Agencies in Domestic Cities and Foreign Countries:

Tientsin	Chinkiang	Ichang
Shanghai	Soochow	Changsha
Peking	Wusieh	Shansi
Hankow	Hangchow	Wuhu
Nanking	Ningpo	London
Yangchow	Shaoshing	New York
Hsuchow	Canton	S. Francisco
Pengpu	Hongkong	Boston
Changchun	Changteh	Tokio
Antung	Chengchow	Kobe
Kiukiang	TsinkiangpuOsaka	
	Yokohama	

And also other principal cities in foreign countries.

SHANGHAI BRANCH.
S. 441 Ningpo Road.
Tel. Central 1929 Managers' Office
Tel. Central 2618 General Office.

Every description of Banking and Exchange business transacted. Interest allowed on Current Account and Fixed Deposits both in Taels and Dollars according to arrangement.

Credits granted on approved securities.

Y. R. SUN, Manager,
T. D. Tar, Sub-Manager.

Nederlandsche Handel Maatschappij

(Netherlands Trading Society.)
Established 1824.

Paid-up-Capital: Guilders 80,000,000 (about £6,666,666)
Reserve Funds: Guilders 14,590,545 (about £1,215,879)
Special Reserves: Guilders 17,000,000 (about £1,416,666)

Head Office: AMSTERDAM.
Head Agency: BATAVIA
Agencies in Holland:
THE HAGUE and ROTTERDAM.

Branches:

Bandjermasin	Penang
Bandoeng	Pontianak
Cheribon	Rangoon
Djember	Semarang
Djokjakarta	Singapore
Hongkong	Soerabaya
Kota-Radja	Soerakarta
Langsa	Tebing-Tinggi
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London Bankers
National Provincial and Union Bank of England, Ltd.

Correspondents at the principal places in Europe, Asia, Australia and North America.

The Bank buys, sells, and receives for collection bills of exchange, issues letters of credit on its branches and correspondents and transacts banking business of every description.

Shanghai Interest Allowed on current tael accounts and fixed deposits, according to arrangement.

B. G. J. WYNBERG.

The Chekiang Industrial Bank, Ltd.

Established 1908.

Capital $1,000,000
Reserve Fund $50,000
Head Office, Branches & Agencies.
Hangchow, Shanghai, Haimon, Lanchi.

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Provisions, Prices In Local Markets

Prices quoted are in Mexican dollar cents at Hongkew Market complied on February 17, 1920.

Butcher's Meat		
Beef	per lb.	14-20
Mutton	,,	16-20
Pork	,,	25-30
Veal	,,	25-30
Fish		
Bream	per lb.	20-25
Cod	,,	20-25
Mandarin	,,	30-40
Mackerel	,,	18-20
Pomfret	,,	25-30
Salmon	,,	18-20
Samli	,,	none
Soles	,,	20-25
Whitebait	,,	25-30
Game, Poultry And Eggs		
Deer	each	$2.50-$3.00
Duck	each	80-90
Hare	,,	35-40
Eggs	per doz.	20-24
Fowl	per lb.	20-22
Geese	each	80-1.10
Partridge	,,	40-45
Pheasant	,,	none
Pigeons	,,	25-30
Quail	,,	18-20
Snipe	,,	16-18
Teal	,,	18-20
Turkey	per lb.	55-60
Woodcock	,,	50-60
Wild Duck	,,	35-40
Wild Geese	,,	40-50
Wild Pigeons	,,	10-12
Fruit		
Apricots	per lb.	none
Apples	,,	16-20
Bananas	,,	5-6
Figs	per doz.	none
Grapes	per lb.	none
Lemons	each	5-6
Lichees	per lb.	none
Mangoes	each	none
Oranges	per lbs.	8-10
Peaches	per lb.	none
Pears	,,	10-12
Persimmons	,,	none
Peeboes	,,	none
Plums	,,	none
Pumeloes	each	15-30
Pineapples		none
Strawberries	per lb.	none
Walnuts	per lb.	14-16
Vegetables		
Artichokes	per lb.	4-5
Asparagus	per doz.	none
Broad Beans	per lb.	8-10
Beetroot	per bunch	2-3
Bamboo Shoots	per lb.	none
Cabbage	each	4-6
Carrots	per bunch	2-3
Cauliflower	each	10-20
Celery	per bunch	8-10
Egg Plant	per lb.	6-8
French Beans	,,	20-25
Green Corn	each	none
Leeks	per bunch	2-3
Mushrooms	per lb.	none
Onions	per lb.	8-10
Parsnips	per bunch	6-8
Peas	per lb.	8-10
Potatoes	per picul	$3.50-$4.00
Spinach	per lb.	4-5
Tomatoes	,,	15-18
Turnips	per bunch	1-2
Grain And Flour		
Flour, American	50 lbs.	$4.50
Flour, Australian	,,	$3.80
Flour, Shanghai	,,	$2.60
Rice	200 per lbs.	$8.20
Milk		
Foreign dairies	per bottle	30
Chinese dairies	,,	17
Fuel		
House Coal	per ton	Tls. 18.50
Stove Coal	,,	Tls. 22.00
Firewood	per 50 bundles	$1.00
Laundry		
Per 100 articles		$3.00-$4.00

E. KILNER,
Chief Inspector.

Banque Industrielle de Chine

Capital authorised	Frs. 250,000,000
Capital subscribed	,, 150,000,000
Capital paid up ...	,, 75,000,000
Reserve	,, 30,000,000

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Washington's Greatness Theme Of Speaker At Sunday Song Service

Americans celebrated the 188th anniversary of the birth of George Washington at the American Song Service meeting Sunday afternoon in the banquet hall of the Palace Hotel. Judge Charles Sumner Lobingier, of the United States Court for China, delivered the principal address. Mr. E. S. Cunningham, American consul-general, presided at the meeting.

Mr. F. S. Brockman delivered the invocation, Dr. Frank Rawlinson read from the scripture and Mr. Pierson Parker gave a reading from Washington's "Rules of Civility." Miss Myra Bancroft Olive sang a solo, and Dr. G. F. Fitch pronounced the benediction.

In his address Judge Lobingier said:

It is always an advantage to begin with a proposition which no one disputes; and in restricting my theme to "The Greatness of Washington" I am happily conscious of that advantage. For upon few themes is there such an unanimity of opinion.

FOREIGN TRIBUTES

I have, indeed, found no writer who questions his greatness; but the tributes of those who were not of his people are so lofty that I need quote no others.

"How fares your countryman, the great Washington?" Napoleon is said to have inquired of some young Americans in France.

On being told that he was well, Bonaparte continued, "Ah, gentlemen! Washington can never be otherwise than well. The measure of his fame is full. Posterity will talk of him with reverence as the founder of a great empire, when my name shall be lost in the vortex of revolutions."

Several of Britain's foremost poets were Washington's contemporaries and at the same time his ardent eulogists. Burns preceded him to the tomb by only three years, and two years before the poet's death he wrote to his friend, Mrs. Dunlop, enclosing an ode written for Washington's birthday containing these lines:

Behold that eye which shot immortal hate,
Braved usurpation's boldest daring;
That arm which, nerved with thundering fate,
Crushed the despot's proudest bearing;
One quenched in darkness like the sinking star,
And one the palsied arm of tottering powerless age.

Southey in 1814, during the now generally regretted second war between America and Britain, wrote:

Not long may this unnatural strife endure
Beyond the Atlantic deep!
Not long may men with vain Ambition drunk,
And insolent in wrong
Afflict with their misrule the indignant land
Where Washington hath left His awful memory
A light for after times.

AS SEEN IN ENGLAND

But the most ardent poet panegyrist of Washington was Lord Byron. He was a boy of 11, when Washington died, and doubtless expresses the opinion current among the best Englishmen of his day. And Byron's works abound in references, of which I shall cite only a few, to our national hero. In Childe Harold, after discoursing on Cromwell, whom he calls the "immortal rebel," the post says:

Can tyrants but by tyrants conquer'd be,
And Freedom find no champion and no child
Such as Columbia saw arise when she
Sprung forth a Pallas, arm'd and undefied?
Or must such minds be nourish'd in the wild,
Deep in the unpruned forest, 'midst the roar
Of cataracts, where nursing Nature smiled
On infant Washington?

In Don Juan, Byron writes, in words quite applicable to the present hour:

History can only take things in the gross;
But could we know them in detail, perchance
In balancing the profit and the loss,
War's merit it by no means might enhance,
To waste so much gold for a little dross,
As hath been done, more conquest to advance.
The drying up a single tear has more
Of honest fame, than shedding seas of gore.
And such they are—and such they will be found:
Not so Leonidas and Washington.
Whose every battle-field is holy ground,
Which breathes of nations saved, not worlds undone.
How sweetly on the ear such echoes sound!
While the mere victor's may appeal or stun
The servile and the vain, such names will be
A watchword till the future shall be free.

And again from the same poem:

Great men have always scorn'd great recompenses:
Epaminondas saved his Thebes, and died,
Not leaving even his funeral expenses:
George Washington had thanks and nought beside,
Except the all-cloudless glory (which few men's is)
To free his country.

I wish I had space also for the "English Wreath," in exquisite verse, which Canon Richard Wilton of the English Church laid on the tomb at Mount Vernon in 1899.

HISTORIANS' VIEWS

Turning to prose writers we find Edward A. Freeman, the great English constitutional historian, devoting one of his illuminating lectures to "George Washington, the Expander of England," while Lecky the historian of 18th century England said of him:

Of all the great men in history he was the most invariably judicious, and there is scarcely a rash word or action or judgment recorded of him. . . . It was always known to his friends, and it was soon acknowledged by the whole nation and by the English themselves, that in Washington America had found a leader who could be induced by no earthly motives to tell a falsehood, or to break an engagement or to commit any dishonorable act. Men of this moral type are happily not rare, and we have all met them in our experience; but there is scarcely another instance in history of such a man having reached and maintained the highest position in the convulsions of civil war and of a great popular agitation.

But perhaps the loftiest eulogy in prose is this by John Richard Green, the historian of the English people:

"No other figure ever stood in the forefront of a nation's life. . . . It was almost unconsciously that men learnt to cling to Washington with a trust and faith such as few others have won, and to regard him with a reverence which still hushes us in presence of his memory. Even America hardly recognised his real grandeur till death set its seal on "the man first in war, first in peace, and first in the hearts of his countrymen."

ELEMENTS OF GREATNESS

But it is not sufficient for us to know that our hero was great; we should inquire into the elements and particulars of his greatness. We naturally think of him as a military leader and there are those who place him high in that role. Probably the fairest and fullest account of the American Revolution is that of Sir George O. Trevelyan, the nephew of Lord Macaulay—a book which merits careful reading on both sides of the Atlantic—where we find this passage:

"From Trenton onwards, Washington was recognised as a far sighted and skilful general all Europe over—by the great military nobles in the Empress Catherine's court, by French Marshals and Ministers, in the King's cabinet at Potsdam, at Madrid, at Vienna, and in London. He had shown himself, (said Horace Walpole); both a Fabius and a Camillus; and his march through the British lines was allowed to be a prodigy of leadership."

Nevertheless the stage was too small, the numbers engaged too few, and the opportunities for grand strategy too limited, for the American Revolution to have produced a world military genius. Had Washington's fame rested on that alone it could hardly have survived the Napoleonic era.

Next we are apt to think of him in the role of a statesman—as President of the Federal Constitutional Convention and later as the first Chief Magistrate of our republic. Washington unquestionably did much to cement that union of the American colonies which his foresight showed him was the great need of his day. But the instrument which perfected that union was, both in conception and adoption, so largely the work of Hamilton that his fame has eclipsed all others as the commanding genius of that mighty achievement.

As to the intellectual attainments of Washington, we might even admit with Dean Vance that they were less than those of some of his contemporaries George Washington never strove to be learned or brilliant and he would have been the first to disclaim such traits. The more we study him the clearer it becomes that the qualities which distinguished him and brought immortal fame were moral rather than intelletual.

HIS BOYHOOD

That the intuition of our people has already sensed this appears from the tales which they love to associate with Washington's boyhood. We are all familar with the cherry tree story and the youthful hero's unwillingness to lie out of the consequences of cutting it down.

Iconoclastic research has pronounced that story aprocyphal, but some still think of his "Rules of Civility and Decent Behavior" as original with him. They were really taken by his tutor, the Rev. James Marye, from "a curious old French book" and dictated to the youthful Washington who wrote them down in his exercise book. Still, though not his own composition in the true sense, they must have produced a real impression on the mind of a boy of 13—perhaps the most impressionable age. The child is father of the man, and it is not without significance that the keynote of George Washington's career is found in this closing injunction of the "Rules"—

Labor to keep alive in your breast that little spark of celestial fire called conscience.

But the halo which history has placed around him has, to some extent, obscured the real worth of the man. When we read those "Rules of Civility," follow his great deeds in after life and look upon his calm, placid countenance as portrayed by Gilbert Stuart, we almost unconsciously think of him as a man who could do no wrong. But had he been such he would not have deserved the homage of posterity. As a great analyst of human character has observed:

"The strong who resist allurement and the tyranny of sense and passion which God has given to men as to animals are less deserving than the weak who struggle to overcome. To fall and rise again is more heroic than by greater strength never to fall. To sin and repent—to do wrong and make amends—are parts of a noble nature."

Mark Twain's comment on the cherry tree legend embodies a serious truth. The youthful Washington is represented as having told his irate sire when confronted with the fallen tree; "Father I cannot lie; I did it with my hatchet." Mark claimed superiority for he declared, "I can lie but I won't;" and that attitude is far more characteristic of the real Washington.

NOT FAULTLESS

Now our first President was neither faultless nor free from temptation and it was precisely as he overcame the latter, and thus avoided dangers which might have wrecked a noble career, that his greatness developed.

Like most great characters he was a man of deep and strong emotions and one of his congenital impediments was a fiery temper. The subjection of that unruly member was a task to which he seems to have set himself early in life, and he could hardly have failed to receive aid from certain of his "Rules of Civility" such as the following:

In reproving show no signs of choler, but do it with sweetness and mildness.

Use no reproachful language against any one, neither curse nor revile.

Think before you speak.

That he gradually succeeded in making these maxims a part of his own character is evident from the type of man as revealed by his contempotaries. But now and then throughout his life, incidents occur, amid sore trial, which deserve to be recorded because, if for no other reason, they disclose that the once violent temper, though curbed, was not extinguished, and that eternal vigilance was his only safeguard.

THOROUGHLY HUMAN

During the retreat from Long Island at the end of August, 1776, Washington had spent several days and nights largely in the saddle and without sleep. Inexcusable delays and blunders by his men had nearly frustrated the masterly maneuver by which he transferred across the East River, under cover of a foggy night, an entire army from its camp within hearing distance of the enemy. And as he stood on the heights of the Manhattan side, and the last ragged continental scrambled leisurely and grumblingly up the steep, the tried soul of the Commander-in-Chief could no longer contain itself and burst forth in a torrent of anguish and exasperation which astonished those who had known him as a model of equanimity.

Again at the battle of Monmouth on that memorable June 28, 1778, when one of his generals, Charles Lee, had recklessly ordered an unnecessary retreat from a strategic position, Washington rode swiftly to the scene and sent the offender from the field with a tongue lashing which is said to have "fairly frightened" the spectators even amid the din of battle.

Once more after he was President a catastrophe occurred which stirred the deeps of that volcanic nature. General Arthur St. Clair who had been given command of an expedition against the Indians of the northwest in 1791, was surprised and defeated on November 4 of that year, losing nearly half his army on the banks of the Miami. Washington who knew well the ways of Indian warfare, had especially enjoined him to "beware of a surprise" and when the disgraced general returned his reprimand from the President was hardly less severe than that given Lee 13 years before.

But in none of these instances was it questioned that the provocation was great and the chastisement merited. The sole occasion for surprise was the sudden exhibition of the unsuspected phase of Washington's character. And that this was in the main well under control is evident from his calm and dignified bearing under the continued strain of ingratitude injustice and even calumny.

SUFFERED ABUSE

It is difficult for us of this generation to conceive of any American being ungrateful or unjust to "the father of his country." But we are too prone to judge his contemporaries by a few great names which have come down to us. There were little men also—scheming self-seekers whose motives were too base, or whose vision was too narrow, to permit them to appreciate the lofty merits of their leader.

We have only to cite the wretched "Conway cabal," hatched while Washington and his army were in the throes of that terrible winter at Valley Forge, and whose object was to supplant the commander-in-chief with the intriguing Gates. It is conceded that but for Washington the Revolution must have collapsed. One would have supposed that at least after it had succeeded he would be immune from criticism. But that venomous reptile, the character assassin, pursued him even then.

Like all of our second term Presidents he became, in the later years of his administration, the target of partisan rancor, and when he signed the Jay treaty with Great Britain, in 1794, the opposition raised a storm of criticism and abuse that, for a time, seemed to obliterate the memories of his magnificent patriotic services.

But through it all he was outwardly calm and imperturbable No public utterance escaped him of the indignation he felt at the imputations of those petty partisans, although he declared privately that "he would rather be in his grave than suffer the treatment he received at the hands of those he was doing his best to serve." He sufficiently appreciated the dignity of his great office never to stoop to a reply. And in his bearing during those times of trial he gave the best demonstration that he had practically conquered his unruly temper and earned the encomium of the Proverb writer: "He that ruleth his own spirit is greater than he that taketh a city."

HIS SELF MASTERY

And out of the years of discipline which thus produced self-mastery came other and kindred virtues. The fierce opposition to the Jay treaty did not result in changing his attitude. He adhered to it courageously and firmly, even to the extent of refusing the request of the lower House of Congress for the correspondence and other papers relating to the treaty. In the end the House, by a majority of three, sustained him, the treaty went into effect and time has vindicated his position.

The same consistency and devotion to principle were observed in less important matters. During the operations around New York Lord Howe sent, under a flag of truce, a letter addressed to "George Washington, Esquire." It was returned unopened, not from only any sense of pique or vanity, but because he considered that he could negotiate only as Commander-in-Chief of the Continental Forces and as he reported to Congress he "deemed it his duty towards his country to insist upon a mark of respect which, as an individual, he would willingly have waived."

Shortly after he was inaugurated President, Washington made an official tour of New England and while in Massachusetts was invited to dine with the Governor, John Hancock, who, however had failed first to call on the President. Hancock had presided over the first Continental Congress and as such became the original signor of the Declaration of Independence. But Washington realised that the delicate question of the new Federal government's supremacy was involved and that precedents were being established. He, therefore, declined the invitation, courteously but firmly, and in the end the Governor yielded and paid the first call.

NO SELF-SEEKER

But probably the supreme mark of Washington's greatness was the entire absence, throughout his career, of self-seeking. Had he consulted his personal interests he would hardly have espoused the Revolution at all. He was a well-to-do country gentleman, of aristocratic birth, with thousands of broad acres in Virginia and 20,000 more along the Ohio. His natural sympathies were thus with the existing order; why should he seek to overthrow it? Clearly not to escape a stamp tax!

As in other questions he made the decision upon principle. Through years of reflection the conviction had been forced upon him that a colonial regime as then administered was an obstacle to the progress and welfare of his country. How different might have been the sequel could he have been assured of a status like that of Canada today. With his colleagues he tried other means of securing a change and accepted the gage of battle only as a dernier resort.

The post of Commander-in-Chief was also forced upon him and in accepting it he set a new standard of public duty in these words:

I beg leave to assure the Congress that as no pecuniary compensation could have tempted me to accept this arduous employment, I do not wish to make any profit from it. I will keep an exact account of my expenses. Those, I doubt not, they will discharge, and that is all I desire.

As time went on and public funds became scarcer he is said to have drawn on his own purse to meet the needs of the army and even to have mortgaged his property for that purpose. An early biographer informs us:

"In choosing men to serve his country Washington knew no recommendation but merit—had no favorite but worth, no relations, however near—no friends, however dear—stood any chance for place under him, provided he knew men better qualified. Respecting such men, he never troubled himself to inquire, whether they were foreigners or natives, federalists or democrats. . . . Indeed, his great soul was so truly republication, that during the whole of his administration, he was never known to advance an individual of his own name and family."

HAD LOFTY STANDARDS

The same author bears testimony to the high character of Washington's military selections by quoting the complaint of certain young officers (who had failed to receive promotion as they expected because they were from the chief's native state) that "it was a misfortune to be a Virginian."

It is in the adoption of such lofty standards, "proving his country's good his only end," that George Washington occupies a plane far above so many of the world's famous military and political leaders.

Yes Washington was great and his was essentially a moral greatness. And so we may close with Byron again:

Where shall the wearied eye repose
When gazing on the great?
Where neither guilty glory glows
Nor unrelenting hate?
* * * *
Yes One
The first, the last, the best
The Cincinnatus of the West!
To make man blush there was but one
Bequeathed the name of Washington.

Rubber Prices

Messrs. R. N. Truman and Co. have received the following telegraphic report from their Singapore Agents in connection with the last weekly report auctions held on February 18:

Average price realised.
No. 1 Smoked Sheet $1.13 per pound equivalent to 0s. 0d. ex warehouse Singapore.
No. 1 Crepe $1.13 per pound equivalent to 0s. 0d. ex warehouse Singapore.
Market quiet, offered 861 tons; sold 556 tons.

PARIS EXCHANGE

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, February 19.—Exchange quotations:

London	45.54
New York	13.14
Belgium	102
Italy	76.50
Rumania	20
Switzerland	211.75
French War Loans:	
3 percent	57.90
4 percent 1917	71.70
4 percent 1918	71.35
5 percent	87.75

FRENCH MARKETS

(French Wireless Service)

Paris, February 19.—Market quotations:

Marseilles, February 19 and 20:
Silks cleaned: Saigon .. 250–250
Green peas: Japan 150–150
Potato starch 190–190

Le Havre, February 18 and 19:
Cotton, First quality .. 738–703
Cotton, Second quality . 730–695
Cotton, Third quality .. 730–695

Lyons, February 19 and 20:
Raw Silks:

Cevennes	450–450
Italy	485–480
Syria	360–360
Japan	420–250
China	475–470
Canton	385–380

Siccawei Weather Reports

22.— The anticyclone gains ground again in the Hwangho and Yangtze Valleys. A small depression develops on the Loochaes and the monsoon weakened in the S. freshens in the N. Cloudy or overcast weather in China, rain in N. Formosa, some fog in the Gulf of Tongking.

23.—Weather still overcast and pretty cold. Constant N.N.W. breezes. New rise of barometric pressure.

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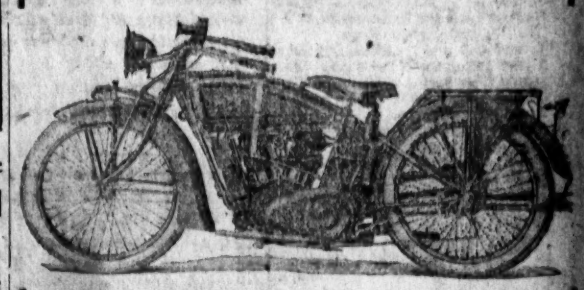
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WEATHER

The anticyclone has penetrated to the South of the Yangtsze, and the weather will set fine. Sharp cold and regular monsoon along the whole coast of China. The depression of the Loochoos will pass between Tokio and the Bonin.

The Military Alliance

NEWS that M. Deschanel, the new President of France, has expressed in his first message to the Senate and Chamber his desire for the strengthening of foreign alliances, brings to the fore a very interesting situation. It is perhaps not fully understood out here that, besides the League of Nations, there exists at present a powerful military alliance between France, Britain, Italy and we believe, Belgium. The functions of Marshal Foch, as Commander-in-chief of the allied armies, lapsed when the Peace Treaty went into effect, but immediately afterward the French, British and Italian Governments, with which Belgium probably associated herself, decided to continue the Military Council of Versailles, with Marshal Foch as President, and "with an extended sphere of activity."

The importance of this decision, in view of the pressing problems and menaces which confront the world, cannot be overestimated. The red tide of Bolshevism, for instance, has reached Rumania, and the Soviet propagandists are feverishly at work all over the globe. They are said to be threatening both India and China. The Allies in Europe are faced with the direct question of making peace with, or war against, the Bolshevists, and while their decisions thus far have been along the lines of peace, invasions of such countries as Rumania and Poland may at any time necessitate adoption of the alternative course. The Adriatic and Turkish problems also press for decision and the whole situation in Europe may be described as "ticklish."

Failure of the United States Senate to ratify the Treaty of Peace has further confused this confounded world of ours, and you may read "confounded" in any sense you like.

In this general situation, the Allies faced the fact Germany had failed to reduce her army to the size decreed in the Peace Treaty. They have accordingly announced that they have extended the time, so that the German army need only be reduced to 200,000 men by April 10 and to 100,000 by July 10. And although this may be interpreted in some quarters as a weakening of the attitude towards Germany, the explanation given out by Mr. Lloyd George, as President of the Supreme Council, appears perfectly reasonable and fair. His note says that when Article 160 of the Treaty of Versailles was drafted, it was thought that the treaty would be completed much earlier than was actually the case, and therefore it became necessary to give Germany the additional time indicated.

That the High Military Command was consulted about this decision goes without saying and the necessity for its continuance is clearly shown not only by this problem, which had to be met promptly, but by the others which we have pointed out and which must be met in the immediate future. The military alliance is indeed a league within a league. The French, it will be recalled, fought in vain to have their plan of an International General Staff incorporated in the Covenant of the League of Nations. Circumstances that could not have been foreseen, have forced into being, and with Foch at the head of it, it seems to us to constitute as good a guarantee against the perils of the day as we could hope for.

Journal Of A Slain German Balloon Officer

Record Of Explosions In Mid-Air, Of Parachute Jumps And The Blowing Up Of A Russian Town By Aerially Directed Artillery Fire

Portions of a manuscript found on the body of a German Lieutenant and translated by Sergeant Paul Rochr, 6th Balloon Company, A. E. F., for United States Air Service, are printed below by permission of that magazine, which is the official publication of the Army and Navy Air Service Association.

In a captive balloon! One sees in spirit that long row of sausage-like balloons that are lining the upper air not so very far behind the trenches, and many think it must be wonderful up there, so far from the earth and connected with the world with nothing but a thin cable. Certainly there are hours when it is wonderful up there. Never will I forget the days that I spent over the flats and steppes of Poland and Russia, over the dark forests of Courland and the Ukraine, the pictures seen at the foot of the Carpathians, on the coast of the Adriatic. The uneven ledges of the Alps and Dolomites shall never fade from my memory.

But one must not forget that balloon observation is the only visible observation for the enemy, and that he will quite naturally do everything to make this kind of observation harmless. Also, there are hours that demand the whole man, when not only the enemy is to be considered, but wind and weather are often worse. The gas used in filling the balloon is a very dangerous element; one single spark from electricity in the air is enough to destroy the balloon in a few seconds.

As in the course of civil life, there are days in the life of an aeronaut that bring unusual happenings—there are days on which bad weather makes ascensions impossible and there are days when nothing but spite keeps a man up in the air. There are days when one makes successful jumps, days when the badly damaged balloon is safely landed, and then there are special days such as "my day of explosions."

The signs of a new Russian offensive could be noticed about the 1st of July, 1917, and our work increased. Our first duty was to make the Russian artillery as harmless as possible. It is always a great satisfaction for the observer to know that a battery of from four to six pieces which has been throwing death and destruction into our lines has been forever silenced. On many days as high as eight batteries were thus put to rest. On the 8th of July the weather would not behave well and I had a very important duty to perform. Kozowa was a little city about eighteen kilometers behind the Russian front. Many times in 1916, before the great Brusiloff offensive, I was there to visit the markets. The Russians had made this a concentration and railroad point. The station had been enlarged. Many storage sheds had been enlarged. Many storage sheds had been built, immense stores of ammunition and food supplies were piled up there, and for several days there had been considerable activity in and about Kozowa. The weather did not permit us to ascend until about noon. Kozowa was still hidden in a mist and I had orders to direct the fire of a heavy battery so that the activities of the Russians would have to cease.

Then suddenly, one, two, three, four red flames, immediately followed by four more, and immediately afterward the reports of the arrivals—shells from two heavy Russian batteries that we throught had moved out because they had not fired for several days. So here we go! What shall we take? Mortars? Very good! First the battery to the north—the first shot in the center of the battery. The second shot right behind the battery, and immediately afterward a column of fire and clouds of smoke—must have been an ammunition dump right behind the battery. So we sent shot after shot at the battery position. They all burst with a flash. About the twentieth shot—another pillar of fire and clouds of gray-white smoke from which flames are rising. Next, the other Russian battery!

"Battery!"

"Here," comes the answer.

"Four hundred meters right and fifty meters further to the battery that is shooting at you. Four hundred right and fifty more."

"Fired." came the reply. The first shot was good. After the third shot there were more explosions and flames. Shot after shot went over and we never heard any more from either battery. In the meantime, the visibility was such that in spite of the twenty-four kilometers distance I could see Kozowa quite well. As usual, there was a great deal of activity around the station and on the roads. The telephone rings. I reach for it. Battery W reports that if balloon is ready to observe, the first shot will be fired at 4 o'clock. It is now 3:50 o'clock. The balloon will go higher.

"Does the Lieutenant desire to go up?"

The barometer showed 1040. "Very good! Up as high as the balloon will pull." As the balloon goes up, I glance at my guardian angels, the airplanes. Three of them are ready, and not far behind is the trustworthy Austrian anti-aircraft battery. Many times it had closed the road to the enemy's fliers who attempted to reach our balloon. While I was looking over my parachute and harness there was a slight jerk. The telephone rings and reports 1,500 meters of cable out. The barometer showed 1380. "Crash!" came the report. My friend "Hans" had spoken. Well, I had plenty of time, for it takes a minute for the projectile that weighs about a ton to go about twelve kilometers. Nearer to the stars for a long time it howled through the air and my balloon was rocking from the concussion. Now it was time to put the glasses to my eyes. The pillar of black dirt on the edge of the station surroundings was not bad—those poor people over there must have gotten quite a scare. "Battery, here's my correction." After "Hans" had spoken for the third time, the shell hit a storehouse, and the remnants began to burn. The fourth shot followed and this time it was not a pillar of dirt but a pillar of fire that issued from the storehouse. The fifth and sixth shots followed, both landing in the middle of the station. A long train started toward Tarnopol.

Immediately after the departure of the train there was a terrific explosion—a pillar of fire rose to a height of 500 meters and everything was covered with black smoke. The detonations were terrific and my balloon rocked and swayed. The explosions looked to be a huge volcano that had suddenly become active—bundles of red, gleaming grenades, that resembled lightning bugs, spread over the city and caused numberless fires. At short intervals there were about thirty more explosions. The wind was very still, but my balloon rose and fell, owing to the concussions of the air. The terrible, beautiful sight filled me with pride and terror. The stillness at 1,400 meters, disturbed only by the occasional squeaking of the rigging, awed me. I could not stay up there any longer. I was lonesome, so I reached for the telephone. "Please, the Aero Depot, Herr Lieutenant A., Aero Depot I." "Yes." "Dear A, please do me a favor and go up." "I'd be glad to, but please, what's all of the noise and smoke mean?" "That's Kozowa and I want you to see it. That's why I'm asking you to come up." Two minutes after three airplanes started up and a few moments later had reached the height of the balloon. They drew a side curve around me and after exchanging the usual greeting they pulled off toward the east. . . .

It was at about 11 when the clouds started to separate and a large blue hole became visible, a cry of joy escaped my lips. I grasped the telephone and it was the work of a moment to get the men and charts together. A terrific wind was blowing; nevertheless, every one wanted to know why the balloon was not up. In the following hours, I requested a persistent battery leader to go up and get a little rest at 1,000 meters, but he politely refused. At about 4 p.m. the wind died down a little, and I ordered the balloon out of the hanger. Before ascending, I inquired once more about the wind velocity in the upper stratus and what I heard was not every encouraging, for at 1,000 meters a 10-meter per second wind was blowing. Ten-second-meter wind is about the power required to start to swing an American sailboat. All this could not keep me from entering the basket, and after the other observer had strapped his parachute on we started toward the sun.

We soon started to breathe more freely, our depressed spirits being released from the weight of the earth. At 1,000 meters my fellow-observer expressed his opinion of European politics, and he did it in such a way that I could not doubt his sincerity. The warmth of the sun caused the gas in our balloon to expand so that a lot of it passed out of the valve into the air. The barometer showed 1,200 meters.

"Hello, Balloon," came over the telephone. "Three enemy airplanes coming in direction of L from K." . . .

Suddenly the air was rent by some terrible explosions, our anti-aircraft batteries were firing at a terrific rate of speed. One after another the shots rang out, and out of the cloud in front of us came an airplane, and, a short distance behind, a second. "Heavens! The man is coming right for the balloon! Haul down," I yelled into the telephone, but seconds passed before the balloon started down. The batteries ceased firing, as they are endangering the balloon. Nine hundred and fifty meters below us was the earth. There was a flash and an incendiary rocket just missed us.

"Jump!" I shouted to my fellow-observer, and he disappeared. For a moment my look followed his parachute—it did not open. Then another flash. My mind worked like lightning—I was boiling hot and then ice cold, but I closed my eyes and jumped. There was a sizzling noise and a jerk—my parachute had opened and I had a feeling as if I was hanging in one place without the least downward movement. I looked down and there below me was another white thing—the other parachute had opened. After the battery noticed that we had left the balloon they opened a reckless fire upon the airplanes. Suddenly I heard shouting below me and a little later found myself on the earth looking up into the air the same as everybody else was doing. There was our balloon—the winch was hauling it down quite fast, and then (I could hardly trust my eyes) one of the airplanes had stopped its motor and was descending at a steep angle right toward us. It took only a moment to unbuckle my belt and to run about a kilometer to where the wounded bird landed. The two aviators were in the act of destroying their plane when our men arrived. Presently, the two came up to where I was. They were heavily guarded. Then M., who had sprained his foot, came up and there we were—two that had jumped down and two that were shot down—all four of us thankful. The Frenchman advanced and offered his hand—the Russian remained where he was. "Messieurs, c'est la guerre! C'etait notre ordre. Pardon." We offered them our hands, for it was their duty, and escorted them to the balloon. On the way their eyes followed their comrades that were flying toward the front. Then came an auto surgeon and stretcher, but they were not needed. . . . There was a little conversation, a glass of cognac and then back into the basket, 1,000 meters high. . . .

One day our balloon had broken away, caught by a sharp wind. At that time we used a cable made up of sections of 100 meters each, each section connected to the adjoining section with locks, so that when the balloon was hauled down (in this case we used men or horse power) there would be a jerk every time one of the locks was wound on to the drum of the winch. I had come down to within 100 meters. There had been seven of these jerks when suddenly the telephone rang. "What does this mean?" "The balloon has broken away." Surprised, I jumped up from my seat. The barometer was already showing 150 meters, and it had been down to 100. I glanced down and saw a horrible commotion. One man was following the balloon. He was the telephone man, who was strapped to the carrier that was paying out the wire. In long jumps he crossed the field, all the while trying to disengage himself. Several times he looked despairingly up at me, and then suddenly he fell down, but he was free of the wires. A few seconds more and there was a violent jerk on the basket, a whistling noise, and my last connection with the earth was broken. In watching the telephone man I had lost valuable time. The barometer showed 500 meters, so I started to valve. The gas escaped with a whistle, but the balloon kept right on rising and going toward the lines. All was very quiet. The artillery duel had died down. Apparently friend and foe were watching the balloons. I pulled on the valve line with both hands and feet, but the balloon kept right on climbing—2,000 meters—and below me the first Russian lines. I could picture myself shoveling stone. Still higher, 2,100 meters!

"Hello, what was that?" My balloon started to rock. Could it be possible? Should I be cheated out of Siberia? I was again going toward our lines—up 2,200 meters. I had let go of the valve line because it seemed useless. The trip back went more quickly than the trip ahead. Already I was beginning to descend, first slowly, and then faster and faster. Two hundred meters below me was a patch of woods and right behind it one of our batteries. I had to make those woods, for if I landed in an open field I would break every bone in my body. I grasped the rip-cord, 1, 2, 3, 4, and the panel came out. A moment later there was a crash and I was hanging in the trees. . . .

The Hope Of The World

(*New York Times*)

The report of the American Economic Association, over an unusual list of authoritative names, sets forth the principles upon which the foreign trade of the United States should be conducted for the mutual benefit of buyers and sellers. There has been published a similar but even more authoritative plan, which comes pretty near saying how foreign trade with us must be conducted. Never before was there such a one-sided situation. All the world is in want, except ourselves, and we have the world's greatest stores of both goods and credit. Yet there are checks on our domination. Our economic principles embodied in the two statements, and our moral principles as shown in the war against German domination, forbid us to exploit the opportunity. It is true that there is no need for such staggering sums as some have suggested, but there is need for amounts which will test our resources. That way honor and profit lie, enforced by the sanction that, if we fail in the emergency we must face conditions of over production or of under-consumption, which will mean a check to industry, and the reduction of the cost of living at a speed and to an extent which we may pray to be delivered from, as we have had cause to pray for deliverance from excess of prosperity.

The best epitome of this international memorandum is furnished by one of the signers, who said it is "A call to the people to return to pre-war standards of reason; an appeal to the Reparations Commission for wise moderation as to the best business policy for all concerned; an appeal to Governments to arrest inflation and meet inevitable burdens by increasing their revenue rather than by further increasing their debts; an appeal to the people to work and to save; and, finally, an appeal to leaders of commerce and finance to get together in order to study the problem dispassionately and take it up as a business proposition, relying on independent action rather than Government intervention. Government must be relied upon, however, to remove as rapidly as possible the obstacles that impede such a course."

As the document is signed and issued in several countries, it is relieved from any suspicion it is dictated to any of them, or by us. It is simply good old-fashioned doctrine, called for by the fact that theorists and implacables are audible in all lands. On the day that the document was published Australia announced its intention of continuing its prohibition of German imports, and it is easy to recall boycotters of Germany among ourselves. But wiser men know that Germany can pay, if at all, only in what the world wants more than gold—goods and services. The boycott of Germany merely re-acts against the boycotters. Next the document urges deflation, beginning with Governments. They have been chief offenders, following our example when we printed fiat money instead of levying taxes, and inflicted upon ourselves a depreciation of currency such as now disorders the exchange of goods internationally. The appeal to the people to work and save is necessary when Governments are paying doles to unemployed and providing cheap bread from tax money. There is a choice between persuading the idle and the wasters through their heads or their stomachs, and there are too many in all lands who refuse to heed the appeal to reason until hunger drives.

The appeal to Governments to remove impeding obstacles to the course advised applies especially to ourselves. Other Governments have acted mistakenly, under the excuse of necessity almost impossible to escape. But we have refused for half a year and more to ratify the treaty upon which the hope of the world depends, as well as our own prosperity. Within a day or two Secretary of Commerce Alexander said that "the investment of American private capital in foreign countries is being delayed by the world political situation. If the Peace Treaty was ratified American investors would have greater confidence in putting their money into foreign securities." Who can gainsay that? Yet the rules under which foreign trade may be promoted under the Edge act are not even promised until "next week."

Meanwhile, Europe is reviving at a rate which threatens us with tardiness at the harvest. For November France sent us more goods by half than in the same month before the war. Italy doubled its exports to us, and England more than doubled its bid for our goods with its goods. The trade of the neutral nations with us indicates that they are middlemen, reselling to other European nations what they get here. It is to our interest to sell our goods direct to buyers, making both the bankers' and traders' profit, but that can only be done by granting credits. It is all very well to be slow and sure, but the world trade figures show that the prostration of Europe is passing, and that the world trade is being done under such necessitous conditions that not even the Senate's blockade of the Treaty can completely stop it.

Death Of Middle Classes

All over England the decline in the birth rate continues irrespective of the end of the war. The London Times presents the following table:

Birth rate per 1,000 living at all ages, 1851-60, 34.1; 1861-70 35.2; 1871-80, 35.4; 1881-90, 32.4; 1891-1900, 29.9; 1901-10, 27.2; 1918, 17.0.

In the same period (1851-1910) it is true the death rate fell by 30 percent. A large proportion of the fall is to be ascribed to the reduction of the infant death rate and to measures of public hygiene. The result has been that, especially among the very poor, the falling birth rate has been to some extent compensated for.

It is this point which requires to be emphasised at the moment. The Times observes, for unless it be appreciated the true significance of the situation will be missed. Falling birth rate has been compensated for by falling death rate among the working and industrial classes, in which, notoriously, the annual gain and loss were very high thirty years ago. But that state of matters does not prevail in the middle classes of the country. Their birth rate is falling rapidly; their death rate, never very high, is not falling and cannot fall rapidly. Thus the middle classes are sinking in the matter of population. We are witnessing what can be described without exaggeration as the death of the middle classes. Statistics as between classes are not available. But the testimony of medical men forms a sage guide.

The fact is, that with the present cost of living, the present taxation, the present price of houses, a "family," as that term used to be understood, is impossible. It means not discomfort, but privation, with consequent deterioration of health. It is, therefore, felt to be better to bring up one healthy child and afford it a reasonable education than to attempt to bring up three children on insufficient food and without the hope of being able to afford them a training for their life's work.

But the mischief does not stop there by any means. The marriage rate has also fallen. In 1917 it was 13.8 per 1,000 of the population at all ages. This rate was the lowest hitherto recorded in this country, being 1.1 below that of 1916 and 2.6 below the average rate of the quinquennium 1911-15. Early in the war, 1915, a maximum was reached at 19.4 per 1,000. It is common knowledge that marriages, and especially middleclass marriages, are being postponed at present on account of housing and food difficulties, and there can be no doubt that many men are avoiding marriage altogether because of the severe financial strain which it imposes.

The world is in gay mood; the attractions of domestic life on a salary barely enough for two are not conspicuous. As a bachelor, a man may indulge his tastes, preserve his freedom of action, and can afford to amuse himself with his friends. He shrinks from the alternative of stern hard work, frugal living, a minimum of pleasure as that word is understood in our cities, and a maximum of anxiety.

Moreover, the age question has to be considered. The proportion of bachelors marrying during 1911-14 was about 39 percent. In 1886-90 it was 50 percent. It was 37.6 in 1917. The proportion of bachelors marrying at ages over 35 has also increased notably during 1916 and 1917. Of spinsters marrying during the later eighties about 63 percent were under 25 years of age; of these marrying during the last few years only 55 percent were under 25. The proportion in 1917 was 54.8. The war of course has proved a disturbing factor in all statistics, but it is not to be doubted that among the middle classes marriages are becoming not only fewer in number but later in respect of the age of the contracting parties.

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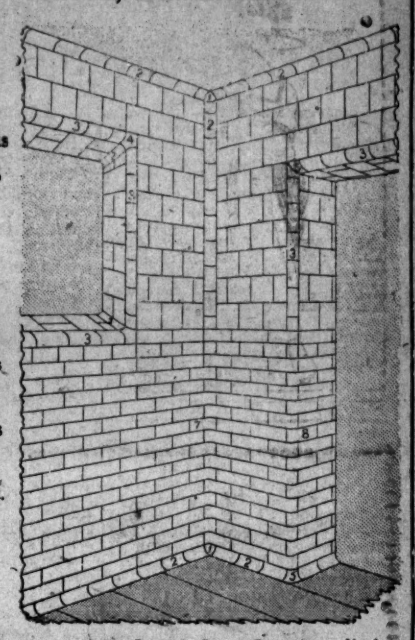

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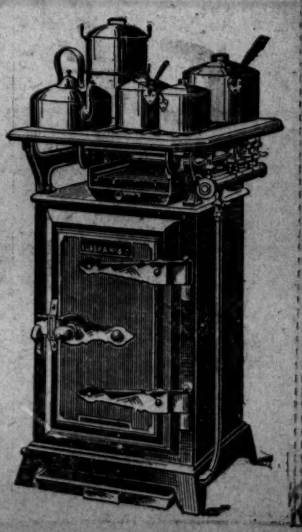

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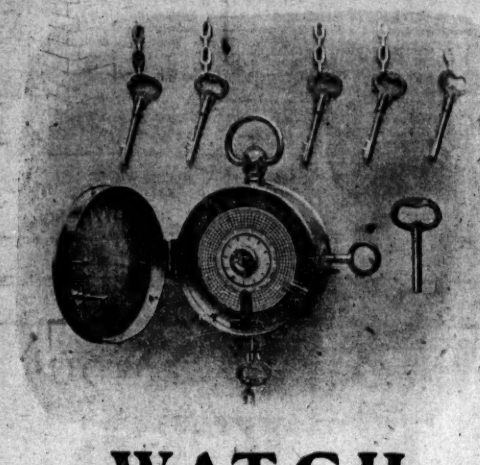

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(*New York World*)

Sometimes it happens that too much of a good thing is the only thing that will turn you against it. Do you get me?"

That philosophical reflection by Marie, the girl who gallops through the pages of Nina Wilcox Putnam's latest novel, might serve as a text on which to hang this story. The thing that set Marie pondering on the ultimate realities was a too piggish patronage of Ma's cream cakes. A text is a text. Neither Marie nor the cakes has anything to do with this story, which is about a new-fangled marriage and a modern feminist and an old-fashioned man.

Before his marriage a few weeks ago to Nina Wilcox Putnam, the authoress, Robert J. Sanderson, District Manager of the Southern New England Telephone Company, lived alone in his bachelor apartment in Bridgeport, Conn. He is living alone there still. After a brief honeymoon at the Hotel Brevoort in New York the bride and bridegroom parted, he going back to his lonesome flat, she to her own stately home, "The Christmas Trees," in Madison, Conn. These two were wedded and parted, and now they are working out Utopian ideals of their own in order that they may live happy ever after.

Not only did the bride go back to her old home. She went back to her old name, or almost the old name. She has announced that hereafter she will be known as "Miss" Nina Wilcox Putnam. Which leaves the tall Mr. Sanderson—he stands six feet three—without a Mrs. Sanderson to call his own, except in a very intimate circle of friends. And these all call her Nina.

Ever since she could push a pencil across a sheet of white paper or get any kind of an audience for her ideas, Nina Wilcox Putnam has been a fiery evangelist for the economic independence of women. She argued that clean Romance hadn't a chance in the world because marriage implied that woman was dependent on her husband for support, and how could either a man or a woman know whether the wife loved her husband so long as marriage supplied a home for her and a servant for him?

So I journeyed up to Madison, Conn., to ask "Miss" Putnam how she liked her own matrimonial medicine. If she had a system that would carry the charm and the delightful uncertainty of courtship down to the end of married life and a guarantee that boredom would never have a place at the fireside, I thought she ought to pass it along to this Magazine's readers.

"How in the world did you get here?" was the none too hospitable question the authoress bride put to me as she escorted me through the hall to her study.

I suspected before I saw her that one of the reasons she lives and works in Madison is because it is almost impossible for New York friends to drop in for tea, unless they start long before sunrise. The suspicion was well founded. Even the morning paper doesn't get there until the day's work is done.

"The Christmas Trees" is a big old mid-Victorian white house with green shutters, built over ninety years ago. It takes its name from four splendid evergreens that stand like silent sentinels in a row on the lawn right in front of the house. Home and trees and lawn suggest plenty of leisure and plenty of room, and they overlook Madison Green, a spacious park bordered with stately old trees. Madison looks like a place where the children would do pretty much what their parents and grandparents did. On the way to Miss Putnam's home, for example, I saw three teams of oxen at work on as many little farms, and when a three-dollar cross-country jitney dropped me off at "The Christmas Trees" there was a fight demonstrating a conflict between the old and the new.

Two loads of winter coal were being delivered, one on a motor truck, the other hauled by a team of oxen. Miss Putnam's house is set on a little hill all its own, and the grade is steep. The motor truck couldn't make the grade and the ox team was hauling it uphill.

The "study" is a study in wistaria and mahogany, and everything in it looks very old except the exuberant young authoress with the amber eyes and joyous laugh, and a cheerful fire that crackled in the grate.

Miss Putnam seated herself on a highbacked Spanish chair upholstered in red and gold brocade. Between us was a venerable mahogany table piled with books and magazines and papers. Wistaria silk draperies hung from the two sets of double windows. An old sofa and some lazy looking chairs were covered with faded velvet in the same shade. On the walls were faded oil portraits of Wilcoxes and Davenports and Winthrops, bygone members of the family that settled in Madison in 1637. Across the hall was a rather formal and very tidy drawing room in old rose. You wouldn't be interested in that room. I can't imagine any of Miss Putnam's guests sitting there except, perhaps, to play the piano.

I asked the bride whether she wasn't planning to go to Bridgeport to live with her husband, and you should have seen the way she looked at me.

"Really, you know, we never thought of that," she confessed. "No, I expect I shall stay right here. As long as Jack's business keeps him in Bridgeport he will stay there. We do manage to see each other occasionally, though. And he calls me up every evening. I have always maintained that when a woman is leading a professional life she and her husband should live on a fifty-fifty basis financially. If I am to hold up my half of the family burden I must have an opportunity to do my work under the most congenial conditions, just as he has to do his work.

"If my husband had to get away to business from this house every morning he would create a very disturbing element. It would take me a long time to get settled down for the day. If he were here he would fill up the whole house, so far as I am concerned. If he didn't disturb me that way it would be all off—our love affair, I mean. I hope he will get to be such a habit that he will seem like a familiar and unobtrusive piece of furniture that is always in its place. I love Jack Sanderson more than anything else in the world, but, believe me, I couldn't live with him every day and do good work. I love New York, too, but I couldn't work there.

"All through the ages while man was the breadwinner woman surrounded him with comfort and quiet. Her job was to wait on him and pet him and look out for his comfort. For a woman who has no other profession running a house and taking care of a man is a big job in itself. I maintain that it ought to be professionalised on a definite economic plan, especially if there are children. I have been a self-supporting woman for many years. I didn't marry Jack Sanderson for a home. I married him because I loved him.

"We are great pals. He gives me lots of ideas and he doesn't charge anything for them. He is witty and genial and I find in him an intellectual tonic. He is a business man and I am a writer, but we have many tastes in common. We both like domesticity and gardening and driving motor cars, and we adore children and animals, and—and we like each other. Sometimes I get so lonesome for him that I just can't stand it another minute, and I call him up by telephone.

"Sometimes I take a day off and visit him at his bachelor apartment. That is a great lark. It has the charm of unconventionality. Sometimes he takes a couple of days off and comes here to see me, and no matter what the hour may be I call it the noon whistle and put my work away until he leaves. We have a joint apartment in New York at No. 12 Fifth Avenue, just across from the Brevoort, and we often go there for the week-end. We keep all our dress clothes there, and we play with friends uptown and downtown, and then we come back to the country ready for work."

The bride doesn't live alone, not by a long way, even if her husband does. First, there is her two-year-old son, John Francis Putnam. Then there is the cook's baby, a chocolate colored pickaninny, almost two; and the secretary's baby, about the same age; and there are the cook and the nurse and the secretary, and most important of all is Dunn, the colored steward, who plans the meals and runs the house for this sizable family. And there are a couple of cats, Pico and Gallagher, who have their breakfast every morning with the lady of the house and her son. And then, because the upkeep for all these has to come out of the study, household activities are run on a plan to protect the authoress from intrusion until the mailman makes his daily visit early in the afternoon.

Miss Putnam learned long ago that it is bad for genius to smother it with household cares. She was married at eighteen to Robert Faulkner Putnam, a member of the publishing house of that firm. He died in 1918. In the meantime Nina Wilcox Putnam had made a name for herself as a successful author of books, magazine stories and moving picture scenarios. So she is staying by the old name for business reasons.

"There has been a great deal of silly talk about how bad it is for a creative artist to marry," she went on. "That's the trashiest twaddle. Marriage, if it is anything, ought to be the finest form of sympathetic friendship. Nobody stands in greater need of sympathetic comradeship than the creative artist. I maintain that a woman is a better wife and is saner and healthier and happier and a better comrade if she sticks to her job—whatever that may be. Everybody knows that boredom is the death knell of love.

"Now, I do not think for a minute that my husband and myself would tire of each other by being together every day. But the inevitable routine might interfere with our work. And for that reason I think this arrangement of separate homes is the sanest and most conservative plan imaginable for two busy persons. It leaves us both perfectly free, and the mere fact that we have a chance to get lonesome for each other injects an element of romance that sometimes fades out of ordinary married life. I've studied this question of freedom for a long time. I've been a Greenwich Villager off and on for ten years, and I am convinced that there is no real freedom, that writers and artists never really arrive anywhere until"—

The telephone rang, and that sentence was never finished. Next thing I heard, in oh, such velvet-tender tones, was:

"Hello, how do you do? Oh, pretty good. I finished a chapter today. I'm so lonesome, Jack. Can't you come over Friday?"

And so on, for nearly ten minutes. Unless district superintendents have special rates for long distance calls it must take quite a lot of the literary income to go fifty-fifty on the Putnam-Sanderson telephone bill.

When she came back into the study she was wistful and demure and quiet and pensive; a sorry, disappointed sweetheart who looked less than thirty-one. Jack couldn't come over on Friday; and his economically independent wife looked like an illustration for a line in her own latest book:

"Isn't it true that every woman has the worst troubles any woman ever had?"

"Let's go for a ride," suggested Miss Putnam. "I haven't had the car out today."

An Oversight

"Why, Johnny, you've got a lump on your head. Have you been fighting again?"

"Fightin'? Not me!"

"But somebody struck you?"

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"An accident?"

"Yes. I was sitting on top of Tommy Scanlan, and I forgot to hold his feet."

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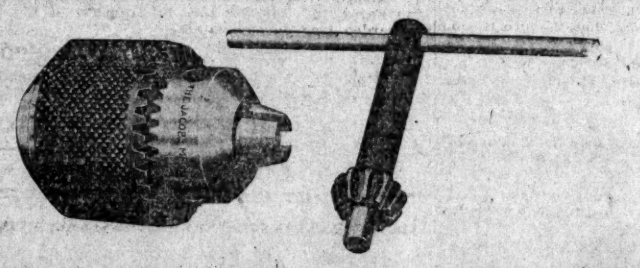

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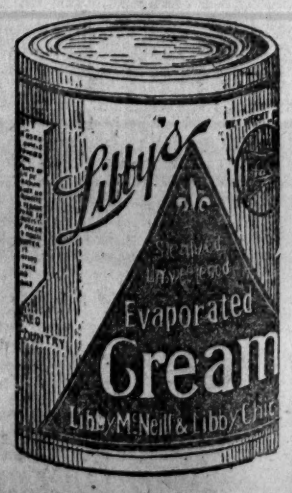

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*ANDES MARU	15,000	T. Kamiashi,	Middle of Mar.	

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*AMUR MARU	15,000	T. Konishi,	April 1	April 3
*HAVANA MARU	15,000	——	April 22	April 24

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AFRICA MARU	18,000	H. Yamamoto,	Mar. 7	Mar. 8

FOR HONGKONG

MEXICO MARU	12,000	K. Komiya,	Mar. 10	Mar. 11

FOR NORTH CHINA PORTS (Tsingtau and Dairen).

SUMA MARU	2,000	A. Kawaguchi,	Feb. 22	Feb. 24
KOHOKA MARU	5,000	M. Tsubaki,	Feb. 29	Mar. 2

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SHIDZUOKA MARU.	12,500	Capt. K. Asakawa,	Mar. 15

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KASHIMA MARU .. 19,000 Capt. M. Machida, Mar. 2
FUSHIMI MARU .. 21,000 Capt. T. Irisawa, Mar. 22

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TOTTORI MARU ... 13,500 Capt. M. Taniguchi, Mar. 9

SHANGHAI-YOKOHAMA LINE (Via Nagasaki, Moji and Kobe.)

WAKANOURA M. .. 5,500 Capt. K. Tsukada, Feb. 27
YAMASHIRO MARU 7,000 Capt. T. Terada, Mar. 5
CHIKUGO MARU .. 5,000 Capt. Y. Yoshida, Mar. 9

FOR JAPAN

KAGA MARU ..... 12,500 Capt. N. Segawa, Feb. 27

SHANGHAI, MOJI, KOBE AND OSAKA LINE (Via Moji).

KUMANO MARU ... 9,500 Capt. S. Saeaki, Feb. 25
YAWATA MARU ... 7,000 Capt. G. Shinomiya, Feb. 28
OMI MARU ..... 7,000 Capt. M. Yamasaki, Mar. 3
TAKESHIMA MARU.. 4,500 Capt. K. Kobayashi, Mar. 6

FOR HONGKONG

KATORI MARU ... 19,000 Capt. E. Tozawa, Mar. 29

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The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Chenan left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday.

The I-C. s.s. Chipshing will leave Hongkong for Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin tomorrow.

The Blue Funnel s.s. Knigh Companion, from Liverpool, left Singapore for Hongkong and Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kianghsin left Hankow for Shanghai on Saturday.

The C.N. s.s. Ngankin left Hankow for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Chenan left Hongkong for Shanghai on Sunday.

The C.N. s.s. Tungting left Hankow for Shanghai yesterday.

The C.M. s.s. Hwahta will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Wuchang will leave Hankow for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Hwahlee (chartered) will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.M. s.s. Kiangyu will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Tatung will leave Hankow for Shanghai tomorrow.

The C.N. s.s. Suiyang will leave Hongkong for Shanghai today.

The C.N. s.s. Tean will leave Tsingtau for Shanghai today.

The I-C. s.s. Chipshing will leave Hongkong for Weihaiwei, Chefoo and Tientsin tomorrow.

The M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat, with the French mails of January 23, will leave Saigon today and is expected to arrive in Shanghai on March 4.

The T.K.K. s.s. Korea Maru left Hongkong for Shanghai yesterday and is due at Woosung early Thursday morning. The inward bound passenger tender is expected to reach the Customs jetty about nine o'clock. The Korea sails for Japan ports, Honolulu and San Francisco Thursday evening and the outbound passenger tender will leave the same jetty at two o'clock.

The C.M. s.s. Nile, with 1,200 sacks of mail and large shipment of bullion, is expected to arrive in Shanghai from San Francisco, Honolulu and Japan ports on Thursday morning.

The U.S.S. Elcano left Shanghai yesterday morning.

THE CHINA PRESS MAIL SCHEDULE

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1920

Date and Destination	Per	Chi.	Br.	USA	Rus.	Jap.	Reg
TODAY							
Chefoo	Hsinkong	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Manila Direct	Fushimi M.	10.00	..	..	..	..	9.30
Japan Ports	Kumano M.	19.00	..	..	..	..	18.30
Vladivostok, Russia and Siberia	Via P. & H.	17.00	..				17.00
River Ports	Train & Str.	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Manila direct	Fushimi M.	..	..	17.00	..	..	..
Manila and Hongkong....	do	..	10.00	..	..	..	..
do	do	..	..	..	..	10.30	10.00
Japan & America via Moji.	Kumano M.	..	..	..	..	B20.00	19.30
Japan Ports	do	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Suiwo	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Chefoo	Hsinkong	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
V'stok and Siberia via Pukow & Harbin (Daily expect Sunday)	Train				..	17.00	.. 17.00
Ningpo	Klangteen	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Tientsin	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Hankow	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Vladivostok	Train	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
TOMORROW							
Tientsin	Wosang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Chefoo	do	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
Swatow and Hongkong....	Kwongsang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
S'tow, H'kong & C'ton....	do	21.00	..	..	..	..	21.00
W'wei, C'foo & T'sin....	Fengtien	..	14.00	..	..	..	..
Weihaiwei and Chefoo....	do	14.00	..	..	..	..	13.30
Amoy and Hongkong.....	Sinkiang	..	17.00	..	..	..	..
Thursday, February 26.							
Japan, Honolulu, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe via U. S. A.	Korea Maru	..	13.00	..	..	..	12.30
N'saki, Kobe, Yokohama, H'lulu, Canada, U.S.A. & Europe	Korea Maru	..	..	12.00	..	..	11.00
Japan, Canada, U.S.S. & Europe	do	13.00	..	..	..	..	12.30

*Correspondence marked via Suez and parcel mail.

G Letters and boxes with declared value 7.30; parcel post 5 p.m. and money orders 4 p.m.

E Registered articles 5 p.m. on previous day.

The Chinese Post Office will close two mails daily for Tsingtao, Tientsin, Peking, etc.

a.—at 21 for S. N. R. 23 o'clock train
b.—at 7 for S. N. R. 7:55 o'clock train

Mails closed by 7:55 train should reach Tientsin only 1 hour 35 minutes later than those closed for the previous night's train.

VESSELS IN HARBOR AND AT WOOSUNG

Date	From	Ship's Name	Flag Agents
Dec. 2 —	Japan	Taiho Maru	Jap.
Dec. 2 —		Meichuen	Am. Socony
Dec. 4 —	River ports	Lingyun	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co
Dec. 6 —	Chinwangtao	Indigirka	
Dec. 16 —	Hankow	Meitan	Am. Socony.
Dec. 20 —		Chinchong	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Dec. 25 —		Kanling	Chi.
Dec. 25 —		Newchow	
Dec. 31 —		Hungfok	Chi.
Jan. 10 —		Toonan	Br. M. M. & Co.
Jan. 15 —		Meihu	Am. Socony.
Jan. 16 —	Foochow	Feiching	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Jan. 21 —	Japan	Kifune Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
Jan. 24 —		Saintan	
Feb. 3 —	Japan	Orestes	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 5 —	Cruise	Store Nordiske	Dan. G.N.T. Co.
Feb. 7 —	Amoy	Irene	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 8 —	Dairen	Georgi	Rus. R. V. F.
Feb. 10 —	River ports	Klangtung	Chi. C.M.S.N Co
Feb. 10 —	Japan	Hwahping	Chi. W. O. & Co.
Feb. 11 —	Tsingtau	Prometheus	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 11 —	Chefoo	Kingsing	Br. J.M. & Co.
Feb. 12 —	Cruise	Likin	Chi. Customs
Feb. 15 —	Japan	Easterling	Am. A. Line
Feb. 15 —	Hongkong	Persia	Ital. Dod. & Co.
Feb. 15 —	Japan	Ct. Mages	Fr. M. M. Cie
Feb. 15 —	River ports	Tahchuen	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 15 —	River ports	Yohyang Maru	Jap. N. K. K.
Feb. 16 —	Swatow	Tungwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 17 —	Tacoma	Javary	Am. G.S.S.Co.
Feb. 17 —	Hongkong	Kwanglee	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 17 —	Cruise	Chuentiao	Chi. Customs
Feb. 18 —	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 18 —	Seattle	West Ivis	Am. S. & Dix.
Feb. 18 —	Hongkong	Yueyingwa	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 18 —	Hongkong	Moorish Prince	Br. Dod. & Co.
Feb. 18 —	Wenchow	Haean	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 18 —	Foochow	Mingshun	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 18 —	River ports	Klangfoo	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 19 —	Japan	Kamor	Nor. O. Thoreson
Feb. 19 —	Chinwangtao	Weishun	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 19 —	Foochow	Ningshin	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 19 —	River ports	Tsangtah	Br. C.I.&E.L. Co.
Feb. 19 —	River ports	Meifoo	Am. Socony.
Feb. 19 —	Cruise	Pingching	Chi. Customs
Feb. 20 —	Hongkong	Hsinkong	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 20 —	Liverpool, etc.	Dania	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 20 —	Chinwangtao	Hero	Br. K.M.A.
Feb. 20 —	Ningpo	Hsinchang	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 20 —	Wenchow	Kwangchi	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 20 —		Shawhsing	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
Feb. 20 —	River ports	Luenyi	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 20 —	River ports	Hwahta	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 20 —	River ports	Nanyang Maru	Jap. N. K. K.
Feb. 20 —		Tungshing	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 20 —	Nanking	Meinan	Am. Socony.
Feb. 21 —	River ports	Wuchang	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 21 —	River ports	Walshing	Br. J.M. & Co.
Feb. 21 —	River ports	Kutwo	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 21 —	River ports	Kiangwah	Chi. C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 21 —	River ports	Tafoo Maru	Jap. N.K.K.
Feb. 21 —		Toyo Maru	Jap. Kaiyosha
Feb. 21 —	Tientsin, ports	Shuntien	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 21 —		Surachi Maru	Jap.
Feb. 21 —		Shinan Maru	Jap. F. & Co.
Feb. 21 —		West Kader	Am. A. Line.
Feb. 21 —		Kaiwa Maru	Jap.
Feb. 21 —	Tientsin	Wosang	Br. J. M. & Co.
Feb. 21 —	Japan	Juho Maru	Jap. M.B.K.
Feb. 21 —	Seattle, etc.	Cross Keys	Am. A. Line
Feb. 22 —		Chekiang	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 22 —	Cruise	Pacific	Dan. G.N.T. Co.
Feb. 22 —	River ports	Tehhsing	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 22 —	River ports	Tuckwo	Br. J.M. & Co.
Feb. 22 —	River ports	Poyang	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 22 —	River ports	Suiyang Maru	Jap. N.K.K.
Feb. 22 —	Hankow	Hanping	Chi. H. Y. P.
Feb. 22 —	Japan	Kumano Maru	Jap. N.Y.K.
Feb. 22 —	Dalny	Wanli	Chi. W. & Co.
Feb. 22 —		Brl. Isles	Br.
Feb. 22 —	Japan	Jun Maru	Jap.
Feb. 22 —	Calcutta, etc.	Arratoon Apcar	Br. M. M. & Co.
Feb. 22 —	Swatow	Kwangse	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 22 —	Dalny	Hakushin Maru	Jap. S.M.R.
Feb. 23 —	Dalny	Sakaki Maru	Jap. S.M.R.
Feb. 23 —	Foochow	Yungshin	Chi. N.S.S.N. Co.
Feb. 23 —	Foochow	Suma Maru	Jap. O. S. K.
Feb. 23 —	Cruise	Liuhsing	Chi. Customs
Feb. 23 —	Hongkong	Fengtien	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 23 —	Swatow	Paoting	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 23 —	Swatow	Singan	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 23 —	Hankow	Yenoura Maru	Jap. M.S.K.
Feb. 23 —	New York, etc.	Cape May	Am. A Line
Feb. 23 —	Japan	Daishin Maru	Jap.
Feb. 23 —	Hongkong	Sinkiang	Br. B. & S.
Feb. 23 —	Hongkong	Kwongsang	Br. J.M. & Co.
Feb. 23 —	River ports	Changon	Chi. S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 23 —	Japan	Toychashi Maru	Jap.

MEN OF WAR IN PORT

Section	Date	Name	Flag and Rating
M. M. B.	Nov. 11	D'Estrees	Fr. cruiser
B.N.B.	Jan. 18	Kinsha	Br. gun-boat
O. D.	Oct. 29	M. A. S. 226	Ital. sub-chaser
S'chow creek	Oct. 29	M. A. S. 227	Ital. sub-chaser
Y. P. D.	Jan. 10	Quiros	Am. gun-boat
10 P.	Jan. 10	Saga	Jan. gun-boat
O. D. W.	Jan. 12	Scarab	Br. gun-boat
1 C.	Feb. 17	Toba	Jap. gun-boat
2 C.	Feb. 18	Wilmington	Am. gun-boat

Future Sailings

FOR AMERICA AND CANADA

Date	Time	Destination	Ship's Name	Flag	Agents
———	—	New York	Moorish Prince	Br.	S.T. & Co.
Feb. 25	—	New York	St. Andrews	Br.	Dod. & Co.
Feb. 25	—	San Francisco	Tancred	Am.	Dollar Co.
Feb. 26	—	New York v. Panama	Tottori Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 26	—	San Francisco	Korea Maru	Jap.	T.K.K.
Feb. 26	—	San Francisco	Venezuela	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Feb. 29	—	San Francisco	Stanley Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 1	—	Portland	Montague	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 1	—	Seattle	Cross Keys	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 2	—	Seattle	Kashima Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 4	—	Tacoma	Africa Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Mar. 5	—	San Francisco	Nile	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 5	—	San Francisco	Archer	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Mar. 10	—	New York, Boston	Hatchie	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 11	—	San Francisco	West Harris	Am.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 11	—	San Francisco	Col. Springs	Am.	S. & Dix
Mar. 13	—	Vancouver	R. of Russia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 14	—	San Francisco	Tenyo Maru	Jap.	T. K. K.
Mar. 15	—	New York	Charlton Hall	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 16	—	San Francisco	West Alingo	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co
Mar. 17	—	San Francisco	West Sequana	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 20	—	Portland	Abercos	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 22	—	Seattle, etc.	Yoshimi Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 25	—	Vancouver	Melville Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 25	—	New York, Boston	Western Cross	Am.	A. Line
Mar. 27	—	San Francisco	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 27	—	Vancouver	Harold Dollar	Br.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 27	—	Vancouver	Montcalm	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 28	—	San Francisco	West Jessup	Am.	Dollar Co.
Mar. 28	—	San Francisco	West Cactus	Am.	S. & Dix.
Mar. 29	—	San Francisco	West Ira	Am.	Dollar Co.
Apr. 1	—	Vancouver	E. of Japan	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Apr. 10	—	Vancouver	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Apr. 19	—	Baltimore v. Panama	Moreland	Am.	S. & Dix
Apr. 24	—	San Francisco	Colombia	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.

FOR JAPAN PORTS

Feb. 25	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Kumano Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Feb. 26	—	Kobe	Kaga Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Feb. 27	—	N saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Wakanoura M.	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 28	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Yawata Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 3	—	Moji, Kobe, Osaka	Omi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 5	—	N saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Yamashiro Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Mar. 9	—	N saki, Kobe, Y'hama	Chikugo Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.

FOR EUROPE, INDIA, STRAITS, ETC.

Feb. —	—	A., Ridam, A'werp	Laomedon	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	—	Marseilles	Ct. Mages	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Feb. 25	—	Java Ports	Tjikini	Dut.	H.C.T.Co.
Feb. 28	—	London	Glenariffe	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Feb. —	—	Marseilles	Kouangsi	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Mar. 1	—	London	Atsuta Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 2	—	Melbourne, etc.	Hwanping	Chi.	W. O. & Co.
Mar. 4	—	London	Kasamir	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 6	—	Batavia	Tjitaroem	Dut.	H.C.T.Co.
Mar. 7	—	Marseilles	Amazone	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Mar. 11	—	London	Hyson	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 12	—	London	Swazi	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Mar. 12	—	London	Banca	Br.	M. M. & Co.
Mar. 16	—	London	Penbrokeshire	Br.	G. L. E. A.
Mar. 18	—	Liverpool	Hector	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 22	—	Marseilles	Paul Lecat	Fr.	M. M. Cie
Mar. 22	—	Liverpool	K. Companion	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 31	—	Venice, Trieste,	Pilsna	Ital.	D. & Co.
Mar. 31	—	Liverpool, etc.	Toba Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Mar. 31	—	Hamburg, etc.	Dakar Maru	Jap.	N. Y. K.
Apr. —	—	Marseilles	Armand Behic	Fr.	M. M. Cie
May —	—	Marseilles	Andre Lebon	Fr.	M. M. Cie

FOR SOUTHERN PORTS

Feb. 24	4.00	Ningpo	Klangteen	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 24	—	Manila, Hongkong	Fushimi Maru	Jap.	N.Y.K.
Feb. 24	8.00	Foochow	Ningshin	Chi.	S.P.S.N. Co.
Feb. 25	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Ningshao	Chi.	N.S.S.N. Co.
Feb. 26	D.L.	Amoy, H'kong, C'ton	Sinkiang	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 26	D.L.	S'tow, H'kong, C'ton	Kwongsang	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb. 26	—	Hongkong	Nile	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 3	4.30	Ningpo	Hsin Peking	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 6	—	Manila, Hongkong	Ecuador	Am.	P.M.S.S. Co.
Mar. 8	—	Manila, Hongkong	E. of Asia	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 11	—	Hongkong	Monteagle	Br.	C.P.O.S.
Mar. 13	—	Hongkong	Nanking	Am.	C.M.S.S. Co.

FOR NORTHERN PORTS

Feb. 24	—	Dairen, Tsingtao	Suma Maru	Jap.	O. S. K.
Feb. 24	1.30	Dairen	Sakaki Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
Feb. 25	—	Tientsin	Hsinming	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 25	3.00	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Fengtien	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	3.00	Tsingtau	Shuntien	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 27	3.30	Tsingtao, Dairen	Kobe Maru	Jap.	S.M.R.
Feb. 28	D.L.	W'wei, C'foo, T'tsin	Chekiang	Br.	B. & S.

FOR RIVER PORTS

Feb. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hsinfung	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co
Feb. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Luenyi	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tafoo Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Feb. 24	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb. 24	D.L.	Wuhu	Singan	Br.	B. & S.
Feb. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Walshing	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb. 25	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Nanyang Maru	Jap.	N.K.K.
Feb. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kianghsin	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Kutwo	Br.	J. M. & Co.
Feb. 26	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Suiyang Maru	Jap.	N. K. K.
Feb. 27	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Tuckwo	Br.	J.M. & Co.
Feb. 29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahta	Chi.	C.M.S.N. Co.
Feb. 29	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Wuchang	Br.	B. & S.
Mar. 1	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Hwahlee	Chi.	J.M. & Co.
Mar. 2	M.N.	Hankow, etc.	Loongwo	Br.	J. M. & Co

*A.M. M.N.—MIDNIGHT. D.L.—DAYLIGHT

Information For Mariners

TUESDAY, FEBRUARY 24, 1920

High Water at Woosung Bar

(The day tides are higher than the night tides, they are about equal at 2 o'clock).

Approximate rise, at springs 4 1/4 h; at neaps, 5 h.
fall, at springs 8 1/4 h; at neaps, 7 1/2 h.

A.M. Time H	M	Range Ft.	In.	P.M. Time H	M	Range Ft.	In.
2	49	9	2	3	8	7	10

High Water at Tungsha Lightship

(The day tides are higher than the night tides).
Approximate rise, 5 1/2 h; approximate fall, 7 h.

A.M. H	M	P.M. H	M
1	48	2	7

Time of Moonrise, Moonset, Sunrise, Sunset

Moon Rises	Moon Sets	Sun Rises	Sun Sets	Daylight	Dark
8 54 a.m.	10 25 p.m.	6 38	5 50	5 53	6 35

Mean Barometric Pressure at Shanghai
For February 30.29 in.
769.5 mm.

Business and Official Notices

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The Kailan Mining Administration

HOUSEHOLD COAL

On and after 17th November, the price will be $13 per ton delivered (Cash with Order). Application to 1 Jinkee Road Tel. Central 1115.

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SHANGHAI RACE CLUB

Six percent. Debentures (1909).

The Debentures Transfer Register will be closed from 24th instant to 29th instant, both dates inclusive.

By Order of the Stewards,
A. W. OLSEN,
Secretary, Shanghai Race Club.

27979

Municipal Notification

No. 2647.

7 PER CENT. LOAN, 1919.

Price of Issue until futher notice 95 per cent.

UNDER the authority of Resolution V passed at the Annual Meeting of Ratepayers on April 9, 1919, the Council hereby invites applications for debentures in the 7 per cent. Loan of 1919.

The debentures in this issue will bear interest from the date of purchase at the rate of 7 per cent. per annum payable on June 30 and December 31 in each year.

They will be issued at 95 per cent. until further notice and will be redeemed on December 31, 1929.

The scrip will be issued in denominations of Tls. 1,000, Tls. 500 and Tls. 100 to suit the convenience of applicants, but no allotment for a less amount than Tls. 500 nominal will be made except to depositors in the Municipal Investment Bank.

Application forms can be obtained from the Treasurer, Finance Department, 24B Kiangse Road, to whom all enquiries should be addressed.

By order,
E. S. B. ROWE,
Assistant Secretary.

Council Room,
Shanghai, August 28, 1919.

27757

Shanghai Benevolent Association Lottery

NOTICE is hereby given that five tenth-parts of a lottery ticket bearing the number 25504, which has been declared by the above Association to be the winning number of the 1st prize drawn at the last or 15th drawing of the said Association's monthly lotteries on 2nd February, 1920, was on the 6th day of February lost on or about the neighbourhood of Foochow Road, Shanghai at 8 a.m. in the morning.

Any person finding the same is required to communicate with the undersigned, when a suitable reward will be given. Any person finding the same and attempting to dispose of it will be liable to prosecution. Similar advertisements have been inserted in the native press, and the loss has been reported to the Head Office so that the ticket is valueless except to the true owner.

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Chinese Government Railways,
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Notification No. 293.

Chinese (Lunar) New Year Holidays

CURTAILMENT OF TRAIN SERVICE (194/37).

During the Chinese (Lunar) New Year Holidays from 20th to 24th February inclusive, the following trains only will be run:

Express trains Nos. 1 and 2 between Tientsin and Pukow.
Mail trains Nos. 3 and 4 between Tientsin and Pukow.
Local trains Nos. 7 and 8 between Tsinanfu and Hsuchowfu.
Branch line trains Nos. 18 and 19 between Yenchowfu and Tsiningchow.
Branch line trains Nos. 23 and 24 between Lincheng and Tsaochuang.
Goods trains will be run when necessary.

Regular train service will be resumed on and after 25th February, 1920.

By Order,
THE TRAFFIC MANAGER.

Tientsin, 11th February, 1920. 27939

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Chefoo Humane Society Organisation Perfected

(*China Press Correspondence*)

Chefoo, Feb. 12.—A meeting, which was adjourned till this afternoon from last Thursday, was called to further the aim of establishing a local body to work for the prevention of cruelty to animals. Last week's meeting got as far as deciding that some thing of the sort was necessary and that it should be inaugurated. This afternoon the meeting elected an executive committee after deciding that the caption of the new organisation should be "The Chefoo Society for the Prevention of Cruelty to Animals."

Mr. Railton again occupied the chair owing to the regrettable absence of the Commissioner of Customs. The attendance at the gathering was not as good as last week, there being a fewer number of Chinese residents in the Hall of the Club when the Chairman called the meeting to order. After the name of the organisation was settled upon, it was agreed that the Executive Committee should consist of eight in number, four foreign and four Chinese. The foreigners elected to serve were Mr. Sugden and Mr. Abbott, Mrs. Stooke and Miss Cameron. The Chinese proposed by the Chinese present were the Taoyin, the Chief of the Chefoo Police, Mr. Tan T'ai and Mr. Liu of the Y.M. C.A.

Mr. Tan T'ai is the chairman of the Chinese Chamber of Commerce here. These ladies and gentlemen, subject to their willingness to serve were declared elected unanimously. Following the election of the Executive Committee there was a long and rambling discussion as to who should constitute an Advisory Body, which it was considered should be called into existence for assisting the Executive Committee. Finally it was agreed that the leading Chinese officials should be invited to sit upon this Board. The names of all who were present at this as well as at the previous meeting are to be entered upon the roll of the Society's books as members.

Meanwhile the Committee will proceed to draw up rules, etc. which are to be submitted for approval at a meeting to be called later. The Port Doctor and the Port Chaplain were proposed by Mr. Arthur Taylor as ex-officio members of the society, the proposer naively adding that, as they had little to do they would be likely to render able assistance on the new Committee. Mr. Eckford was pressed to serve on the Committee but declined on the plea that the Chinese were more needed than the foreigners.

Chefoo sustained an irreparable loss last week in the unexpected death of Mrs. R. Gardiner, the genial wife of Mr. R. Gardiner of Messrs. Cornabe, Eckford and Co. Mrs. Gardiner was one of the most popular of our ladies. A capital singer, a charming hostess and one always willing to help in any matter calculated to help forward any good work, she endeared herself to the whole foreign community. The news of her death came as a shock last Friday night and cast a gloom over the place. Naturally, the Skating Carnival was at once postponed. The funeral was held Sunday afternoon and the large attendance at the East Beach Cemetery where the obsequies were held testified to the esteem and affection in which she was held. The service, beautifully read by the Port Chaplain, was impressive. Heartfelt sympathy is felt for the bereaved husband and his two children, one a girl of about eight years of age and the other a baby boy nearly a year old.

It is hoped that the school, lately reassembled after the winter vacation, will be able to put a football eleven into the field for a match with the Settlement this coming Saturday. We hear that the latter are finding it difficult to make up the quota as one or two of their best players have left the institition and others who are back are indisposed. But it is thought that they will get an eleven together and the match is said to be fixed.

The Fancy Dress Skating Carnival postponed from last Saturday night will be held this Saturday night. If the present cold weather lasts the ice should be good and there should be a successful gathering. Last year was described as "topping," but if all that one hears is correct this one on Saturday night will put last year's in the shade.

There is much gratification felt in Chefoo for the publication in THE CHINA PRESS of the articles drawing attention to Japan's doings in Tsingtao. As I have frequently pointed out in my letters, here in Chefoo it is felt that there would have been the much needed Chefoo-Weihsien railway by this time had it not been for Japanese obstruction and opposition. The place here simply cannot hold its own unless it gets the railway and delay in forwarding the scheme is fatal to the best interests of Chefoo. Given the railway from here to Weihsien this would be an exceedingly busy port. It has the makings of a great commercial center but lacks the one thing essential to its prosperity. It is nothing short of scandalous that first Germany, and now apparently Japan, because she has got Tsingtao, should be able to oppose the legitimate aspirations of one of China's best Northern Ports. Feeling in the matter is very strong and it would be foolish to attempt to minimise its effects if the hindrances to the railway construction are but soon removed. Why should trade be hindered in Chefoo, and its industrial life strangled simply because a foreign power desires to enrich itself at the expense of Chefoo?

Profiteering Laid To J. & P. Coats, Ltd.

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 18.—The Profiteering Act Sub-Committee which has been making an exhaustive inquiry respecting the alleged sewing cotton combine, has issued a report which states that the manufacture of sewing cotton is the virtual monopoly of J. and P. Coats, Ltd., who have taken advantage of their monopoly to restrict trade, making it exceedingly difficult for competing firms to obtain a footing: that in view of the fact that Messrs. Coats last September estimated that the total manufacturing and selling costs amounted to 3.83d. per reel, the advancement in the retail selling price (to 7¼d.) was hardly justifiable. The retail price should not have exceeded 6d. per reel.

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The Sub-Committee, however, is of opinion that when the firm's present supplies of raw and manufactured cotton are exhausted the price of sewing cotton must rise unless the price of cotton falls.

Schedule Mapped For Prince's Trip

(*Reuter's Service*)

London, February 19.—The British ship Renown carrying the Prince of Wales will leave Portsmouth on March 9, and arrive at Barbadoes on March 19, Colon on March 23, Panama on March 24, San Diego on March 31, Honolulu on April 6, Fiji on April 13 and Auckland on April 17.

Italy Entertains Japanese Navy Men

(*Reuter's Service*)

Paris, Feb. 20.—A Rome message states that a gala performance was given at the San Carlo Opera house last night in honor of the Japanese squadron which is visiting Italy. Besides the officers, detachments of bluejackets from the Japanese ships were present.

Paris, Feb. 14.—The Japanese cruisers, Tokiwa and Azuma, will proceed to Marseilles shortly. Admiral Horiuchi who is in command will visit Paris at the end of the month and will make a tour of the war front.

Amusements

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For Japan
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Kumano M. Feb. 24

MAILS DUE

From U.S. and Canada
Per N.Y.K. s.s. Fushimi M. Feb. 24
Per C.M. s.s. Nile Feb. 26

From France etc.
Per M.M. s.s. Paul Lecat Mar. 4

Passengers Departed

Per C.M. s.s. Hsinchi for Foochow: Mr. and Mrs. F.R. Sites, Messrs. Kenneth Sites, W.B. Cole, F.P. Jones, John Sowdy, J.B. Eyestone, F. Barkhurdt, Miss M.E. Wilson.

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Launch Services

TODAY

The tender conveying passengers on board the S.M.R. s.s. Sakaki Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 12:30 p.m.

Thursday, February 26, 1920

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the T.K.K. s.s. Korea Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 2 p.m.

Friday, February 27, 1920

The tender conveying passengers and mails on board the S.M.R. s.s. Kobe Maru will leave the Customs jetty at 2:30 p.m.

Sunday, March 7, 1920

The tender Whangpoo conveying passengers and mails on board the M.M. s.s. Amazone will leave the M. M. jetty (French Bund) at 9 a.m.

Amusements

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The picture is an oil painting on ordinary canvas, measuring 4½ x 7 feet—but the mystifying quality of this painting is that it can also **be seen in the dark by its own light.** Viewed in an entirely darkened room the figure of the Christ in this picture stands forth from a luminous background, while behind the figure is plainly seen the "Shadow of the Cross," a cross not only visible but of which no trace whatsoever can be found when the canvas is examined in the light.

During the fifteen years in which this wonderful painting has been on public exhibition it has been examined and tested in every possible and concievable manner by the foremost scientific and chemical experts of both hemispheres without their being able to give any explanation of its marvellous properties. Chemical analysis shows no trace of phosphorus, foxfire, pitchblende, uranium, radium, or any known light-giving substance.

We make no attempt to account for the singular phenomenon seen in connection with the picture, but simply invite you to call, to see it, to investigate freely, and to draw your own conclusion, presenting it for what it is, a work of art which has been viewed by many and explained by none.

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